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Save the Seaton and District Show FEARS ANNUAL EVENT WILL END AFTER 125 YEARS

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Mr Clapp was well known for his prize chrysanthemums and fruit exhibits and the family were involved with the show right up until a few years ago when the show's treasurer, May Clapp, died.

Dropping the autumn title several years ago, as it didn't fit with the events timetable for the August Bank Holiday, the show has continued to be successful, showcasing local produce such as fruit, vegetables and flowers.

Despite being unpredictable with the British weather, other exhibits such as handicrafts like knitting, needlework, floral displays and baking have kept the show alive.

Chairman and treasurer of the show, Adrian Norcombe, said: "We do have very loyal generous patrons who support the show, however the show is struggling to continue as we need more enthusiastic, hands-on committee members."

"We have a great number of vacant roles on the committee and if these roles aren't filled, it is unlikely that the show will go ahead for 2013."

"My wife Debbie and I have been working almost singlehandedly to keep the show running but we can't continue on our own so we hope the community will step forward and support this traditional show, as I would hate to see it end."

At the recent Annual General Meeting, vacant roles for a president, chairman, secretary, show secretary, and treasurer needed to be filled, and Mr and Mrs Norcombe hope that the show can go on with help from the local community.

An extraordinary meeting is to be held at Seaton Methodist Church on Monday, March 18th, starting at 7:30pm, to appeal for new committee members with the retiring post members providing support for the interim period.

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HONITON: The Mayor, Councillor David Foster cut the ribbon to declare the Brainwave shop in Honiton open in their new premises in the High Street.



SIDMOUTH: Local MP Hugo Swire took part in debate entitled "Energy we can all afford" hosted by Sid Valley Energy Action Group. His role was to explain the Government's new Green Deal Scheme



COOL FOR CATS: Victoria Herry who plays the lead role in Axmouth Children's Theatre's take on the tale of Dick Whittington, from an original script by director Malcolm Henty.



OTTERY ST MARY: The Reverend Stephen Weston, the new vicar, who was officially licensed into the parish church last week by the Bishop of Exeter, the Right Reverend Michael Langrish.

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“ WE do have very loyal generous patrons who support the show, however the show is struggling to continue as we need more enthusiastic, hands-on committee members.”

Adrian Norcombe, chairman of Seaton & District Show, which is under threat after 125 years

“ THIS idiotic and ludicrous action very nearly had devastating consequences, not just where it happened but for the person we were on the way to assist.

Sergeant Richard Poole of Honiton Police, after sandbags and temporary signs were placed in the middle of the road on a bend in the A30

“ I STAYED tight-lipped because I didn't want to rock the boat as I, and possibly

others, knew the Cloakham development sale would be so essential for the survival of jobs of the Axminster Carpets employees who are our friends and families. That point has now passed. SOP have all along said what I feel.”

Axminster town councillor Ian Hall on the decision by Save our Parkland campaigners to resume their legal fight to stop development on land at Cloakham Lawn

IN THIS WEEK'S PULMAN'S VIEW



Charlie is my darlin' - although not a young cavalier as she's a she! To offer a home to a pretty & friendly young lady call



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Carpets make 300 redundant

NEWS that Axminster Carpets had gone into administration came in the afternoon of Tuesday, March 5th.

A total of about 300 people at sites in Axminster and Buckfastleigh were made redundant.

The statement said that Duff & Phelps had been appointed as administrators.

The company's director, Josh Dutfield, commented: "Trading has been difficult and although it saddens the board to make the decision to enter administration it could not be avoided.

"The management have been working with key suppliers, creditors and lenders to resolve the company's financial difficulties and whilst the last few weeks have been stressful, the company managed to pay the wages yesterday.

"We are now committed to working with the administrators to assess all viable options for the future of the business and achieve the best possible outcome for all concerned and most importantly the staff."

The joint administrator, Benjamin Wiles, commented: "We recognise the importance of the business to the local community and will be seeking to work closely with management and all key stakeholders to restructure the business where possible, including the possibility of selling all or part of the business."

Land fight back on

A U-TURN by campaigners will see the pressure group Save Our Parkland (SOP) resume its legal fight to stop development of land at Cloakham owned by Axminster Carpets.

It was less than three weeks ago that SOP announced it would cease attempts to overturn East Devon District Council's (EDDC) decision to grant Axminster Carpets outline planning permission for up to 400 dwellings plus employment space at Cloakham.

The decision to discontinue legal action was taken to give Axminster Carpets "the best chance of being rescued from insolvency". After losing a judicial review and the right to appeal in The High Court, SOP's last chance is through The Court of Appeal.

SOP has not made a formal statement but **Pulman's View** has seen correspondence in which SOP says its lawyers have been instructed "to proceed with" The Court of Appeal.

It was anticipated that SOP representatives would attend the meeting of Axminster Town Council on last evening (Monday), as **Pulman's View** went to press, to outline its strategy and seek active support from the town council.

The decision is based on information that Axminster Carpets has sold the land in question, a claim denied by a company spokesperson.

Axminster Town Council recommended refusal for the planning application and also considered legal action.

From the editor's chair No news is NOT good news



WE had been hoping to bring you the news that Axminster Carpets had been rescued - but sadly not.

As always happens in such circumstances, the town is rife with rumours about who might emerge as the new owners, if indeed there will be new owners, but at the time of going to press there's been no further official announcement from the administrators.

It's not for the want of trying. Our Axminster reporter, Anders Larsson, has been seeking an interview with the administrator every day but without response. It seems the administrator is happy to talk to the BBC but not the local press.

There is also a strong rumour that Dutfield family may continue to play a part in the future of Axminster Carpets but again we are unable to secure confirmation of this.

To be fair to the administrator, he has far more important matters than talking to the local press but we think the PR company could have been more helpful in keeping the people of Axminster informed of the biggest employment crisis the town has faced since J.H. Shand closed down.

There is also confusion over the current status of the land at Cloakham which Axminster Carpets were hoping to sell for housing development.

At the end of last week we were informed from "an impeccable source" that the land had been sold to Bovis Homes for £8 million.

But the public relations agency working alongside the administrator denied this was the case.

Distressing stories have also emerged this week of how the redundancies were handled but again the PR firm was unwilling to be drawn. There is no easy way of telling 300 people they are losing their jobs.

When I ran newspapers in London in the 1990s I had to sack 120 people in one day. It was the most distressing and stressful day of my life.

It is very difficult to find any positive angle to this story. No one is underestimating how difficult it will be for those who have lost their jobs to find alternative local employment.

But a crisis such as the demise of Axminster Carpets, on which Axminster and district as a town has relied for so long, does bring out the best in a community - and I am sure this will be the case.

There have already been acts of great kindness and generosity and the various agencies and support groups are working hard to lessen the impact.

The news that the company had finally gone into administration came late Tuesday afternoon after our print deadline. But we managed to get the story onto our website (www.viewfromonline.co.uk) within minutes and over the next few days more than 6,000 clicked onto the site.

As soon as we receive more news from the administrator, we will do the same.

Philip Evans

COLYTON

Two candidates for by-election

COLYTON parish will go to the polls next month as two candidates have stepped forward for a by-election.

Two local residents have put their names forward to compete for the vacancy on Colyton Parish Council.

The two candidates are Stephen Henagulph, of South Square, Colyton, who is chairman of Colyton Memorial Social Club; and Robin Pocock, of Old Manor Gardens, Colyton, who is a retired businessman and former district councillor.

The date of election has been set as Thursday, April 4th. Parish councillors were expected to receive an update on the by-election at last night's (Monday) council meeting. See next week's *Pulman's View* for full story.

Voting will take place in the Town Hall. The vacancy became available in January following the resignation of Alan Davis, who died the following month.

OTTERY St MARY

Warm welcome for new vicar

OTTERY St Mary welcomed a new vicar to the town this week.

Stephen Weston was officially licenced and authorised into the parish church last Tuesday when a packed congregation was joined by the Bishop of Exeter, the Right Reverend, Michael Langrish.

The Reverend Weston, 57, is now settling into the vicarage, with his wife Cathy after moving from his previous role as vicar for 17 years of the market town of Chipping Norton, in the Cotswolds.

The father of four was pleased to relocate and described his new role as 'overwhelming' after so much support was shown to his family by the local community.

He said: "It has been wonderful to move into Ottery St Mary and to have such an unbelievably warm welcome.

"The visit from Bishop Langrish was a lovely affair and everyone showed so much support, with standing room only left in the church on Tuesday.

SEATON

Plea to keep Seaton Show blooming

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SIDMOUTH

Attack on woman in New Street

POLICE in Honiton are appealing for information following an attempted robbery in New Street on Tuesday, March 5th.

The incident occurred at around 7:55pm and a police spokesperson said: "The victim, a woman aged 40 years, was approached by a man who assaulted her by grabbing her right shoulder and spun her around to face him.

"He then grabbed her bag and punched her to the face. The victim kicked the man and was able to get her bag back before the suspect ran off.

"The victim was conveyed to hospital for treatment but was not seriously injured."

The suspect is described as a white man aged about 20 years, approximately 6'2" in height and of skinny build.

At the time of the incident, he is said to have worn black tracksuit trousers, a dark grey pull-on hood with the hood worn up, a dark purple rimmed baseball cap and black coloured Converse boots.

Police would like to hear from anyone who either witnessed the incident or has any information regarding.

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LOUD, CONRAD: Passed away peacefully at Hay House Broadclyst, formerly of Seaton aged 78 years. Eldest son of the late Clifford and Lillian, brother to Jack and uncle to Fiona and Kristoffer. Funeral at St Gregory's Church Seaton on Thursday 14th March 11.30am. Family flowers only, but donations if desired to the Alzheimers Research at the service or c/o Layzell Funeral Services, Awliscombe, Honiton, EX14 3PP.

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Seaton and Beer schools mark World Book Day



BOOK CHARACTERS GALORE | Year Two Seaton Primary School children are pictured with staff including teacher, Miss Wilkinson, who arrived in a full 'Hungry Caterpillar' costume

THERE were colourful costumes as far as the eye could see at Seaton Primary School on Friday when staff and pupils arrived to school to celebrate World Book Day.

From the Borrowers to superheroes, Where's Wally to princesses and footballers, children and staff from Seaton came along as their favourite book characters to celebrate the national event.

The day began with a special assembly where the whole school showed off their costumes and creations, celebrating all things books. Children then enjoyed book related activities throughout the day.



■ CHILDREN from Puffins Pre-school in Beer celebrated World Book Day by dressing up as their favourite book characters.

The group of teeny tots went wild for the event and were joined by pre-school staff who dressed up with a 'Where's Wally' theme.

New book features local artist's career highlights

THE definitive collection of East Devon artist Michael Morgan's work was launched in a book at the Marine House Gallery in Beer.

The gallery has worked with Mr Morgan since 1998 and still acts as a centre for his paintings, despite his artistic career having recently come to an end due to ill health.

Mr Morgan was unable to attend the launch of his book 'The Road Less Travelled' and gallery co-owner Mike Lambert said it was "a sad but happy day," as Mr Morgan had always been a highly regarded artist in the East Devon area.

The gallery was busy for the occasion, where 100 limited, individually numbered and boxed copies of the book were available, as well as many of Mr Morgan's paintings on display.

■ Co-owner of the Marine House Gallery in Beer, Mike Lambert, with Michael Morgan's latest book 'The Road Less Travelled'



What now for Axminster?

● With news of a possible buy-out of Axminster Carpets said to be imminent, View reporter **ANDERS LARSSON** examines the wider repercussions on the home town of the worldwide brand ...

THE blueprint for a co-ordinated Axminster Carpets relief effort was expected to be drawn up last night (Mon).

Yesterday (Monday) evening's Axminster Town Council agenda included an item to form a co-ordinated relief approach.

Several organisations have pledged to try and soften the blow as best they can – and it is felt that a joint approach is the best way forward.

The company hasn't given an exact figure, but a spokesperson said that "about" 200 people were made redundant at the Axminster factory last week.

As an immediate response, East Devon District Council's (EDDC) revenues and benefits teams teamed up with JobCentre Plus, Axminster Job Club and Citizens' Advice Bureau to hold a surgery at the factory last Thursday.

Deputy leader and Axminster Mayor Andrew Moulding said: "We want to ensure people have access to all the professional advice and guidance that could save them money and help them get back into work at this difficult time."

In addition, Community union is allowed the use of an office at the factory to assist its members.

The town doesn't have a JobCentre Plus branch, but Axminster Job Club is trying to fill the void and has announced it will be open on Wednesdays from 9.30am to 12.30pm for the next five weeks in addition to its regular Thursday slot, also from 9.30am-12.30pm.

Jobless figures are below the national average in Axminster but job vacancies are also few and far between.

The ability of those made redundant to feed their families is a real concern and number of organisations have announced food collections, which will be channelled to those in need through Canned Sunshine Foodbank.

Ready to provide support

The situation at Axminster Carpets could also affect the town's young people with headteacher Martin Smith saying: "Many of our parents/carers are affected, directly or indirectly, by the situation."

"The college is determined to support the community

at this challenging time. We stand ready to provide any support required, and have indicated that this could be in areas such as training, access to IT rooms and general facility use.

"In the short-term, we are keen to support with fund raising efforts to help alleviate families' financial worries. "We have committed to contributing half of our Red Nose Day fundraising to the relief effort.

"Over the coming week we are encouraging students and staff to contribute items of tinned and dried food towards the food bank appeal.

"The college's PTF is running an Easter Bingo on Saturday March 23rd at 7:30pm in the college hall, which will be open to the community.

"The funds raised will go towards the college's welfare fund to help students whose families need financial support to cover the cost of trips, activities and uniform.

"It is anticipated that there will be an increase in applications to the welfare fund following the news at Axminster Carpets.

"We would encourage parents who are directly affected by job loss to contact the college to find out if we can assist in any way.

"Parents may be entitled to free school meals for their children, which entitles them not only to free lunches but support with other areas of college such as free music tuition and financial assistance with trips."

He also praised the stricken company for its support of the college in the past, saying: "It is worth noting that over the years Axminster Carpets has assisted the college with running a minibus and sponsoring events."

SAVE OUR



"For the last few years, Axminster Carpets has sponsored our students to take part in the annual Dartmoor Classic Cycle Challenge."

Axminster Job Club is run by Axminster Churches together, and Team Rector, the Reverend John Streeting, said there is a need for more volunteers. Any interested is asked to contact the job club directly.

He also revealed there will be a food collection at this coming Sunday's service, and that prayer vigil is planned when the situation "is a bit clearer".

He eluded to the situation at Axminster Carpets during last Sunday's sermon, and a prayer, specially written in response to job losses at Axminster Carpets by the Bishop of Exeter was read in all of Devon's Anglican churches.

Axminster's must be made in Axminster – see page 8

MP hopes for more jobs in the future

MP Neil Parish said he is disappointed with the number of jobs lost at Axminster Carpets.

Speaking to *Pulman's View* the day before the dire announcement was made, he was hopeful of "a reasonable solution" to problems at the company after having met MD Josh Duffield.

But he didn't get what

SUPPORT

he wished for. Commenting on the announcement, he said: "I was disappointed."

"I was hoping for many more jobs to be saved."

"But I still think the contract business has a good future. I'm just

hoping that more of the company can be sold and then, perhaps, more jobs can be brought back."

He also said the company has a very loyal workforce, which must be attractive to any buyer or investor.



■ MP Neil Parish: Disappointed with the number of job losses

Community union's Save Axminster Carpets campaign petition, signed by 6,000 people, called on the government to do more to support the UK carpet industry.

Mr Parish happens to be the vice-chairman of an all-party carpet industry group in Westminster.

He said it would be difficult to intervene directly, and added: "It is difficult to legislate who buys what."

He did say, however, that the group takes the matter seriously and that there might be scope to help through capital allowances (which can be claimed on money spent on assets like machinery).

How the staff knew they had lost their jobs – page 8

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CARPET REMNANTS

ACCORDING to Companies House, Axminster Carpets Holdings Limited, in their last annual return recorded (February 2010) made a pretax loss of £304,000 and paid £720,000 in directors' fees. Had it not been for interest payments of £774,000, the company would have made £470,000 profit.

THE Community Union, which represented many of the carpet workers, described the level of redundancies as "catastrophic".

Union official Lorraine Gaskell was present in the factory when staff were told around 2 pm on Tuesday of last week.

She said the workers were split into two groups – those keeping their jobs and those being sacked.

'There was confusion, dismay and upset,' she added.

THE petition launched by Community Union calling on the government to support the carpet industry has so far attracted more than 5,000 signatures. The union will decide where and when to deliver the petition and how to take the campaign further.

JOSH DUTFIELD, 28 year-old managing director of Axminster Carpets Limited, the grandson of founder Harry Dutfield, registered a new limited company at Companies House on February 25th named Axminster Property Limited.

THE GOLDEN AGE OF CARPET WORKERS



LAURENCE HITCHCOCK

AXMINSTER Carpets stalwart Laurence Hitchcock hopes a purchaser will emerge and rebuild the company.

He clocked in for the first time in 1969

◆ **A JOB** at Axminster Carpets was generally considered a job for life – and for many employees it was just that. Here are some of their reminiscences...

and clocked out for the last time in 2011.

Having tried totally different jobs – at Jersey Zoo and with a horticultural nursery in Exeter – he eventually set about working on the looms at Axminster Carpets.

He wasn't the only one in his family to work at the company, though.

His late father Cecil started as the first company secretary in 1937, and Laurence's brother Alan worked at the yarn spinning mill in Buckfast.

Laurence expanded his knowledge of the business by becoming involved in all aspects of production and distribution.

In 1975 he was co-opted into the maintenance department where he worked for 15 years before being offered the position of purchasing manager, a post he stayed in until retirement.

Looking back on his career, he said: "It was a terrific place and a great bunch of people to work with.

"People had fun doing their work and enjoyed helping each other."

Looking ahead, he said: "The fact it is all there I think will make it quite an attractive buy for somebody.

"It was a sad day when the news broke. Hopefully a purchaser will build it up again."



BRIAN DOWNTON

BRIAN Downton can look back on a 45-year career at Axminster Carpets.

Having started work straight after school, he spent most of his time in the weaving department, but was in the winding department when he left the company in 1997.

It was a 45-hour working week when he started and he reckons his take home pay would have been £1.75 in today's money.

Brian, who lives in Millwey Rise, enjoyed the camaraderie at work and said: "It was a good place to work."

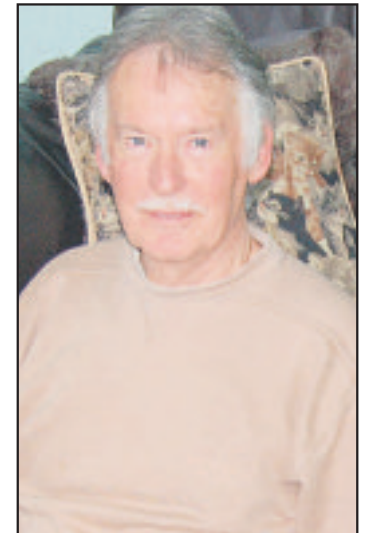
Brian has many happy memories from his days at Axminster Carpets, including the formation of a social club, which provided staff with their own skittle alley.

About last week's announcement and mass-redundancies, he said: "I could never see that happening, never.



"Television programmes haven't helped with [home makeover] shows where carpets are taken out.

"People may not realise that carpets keep places warmer."



JOHN HALL

JOHN Hall spent almost half a century at Axminster Carpets, retiring after 49 and a half years.

He started straight from school in the late 50s and used to commute by bicycle from his then home in Whitford.

He was weaving at the age of 16 and really enjoyed his days at the company.

John, who now lives in Axminster, said: "Working relations were pretty good, I had some good times and there were some characters there.

"They never had to crack the whip because, although there was a basic salary, the more you made the more you earned."

He also praised the company's caring attitude. Apart from annual Christmas parties, functions were also laid on for staff who celebrated certain anniversaries with the company.

Also, in the sad event that an employee died, the company made sure it was repented at the funeral.

Everything wasn't plain sailing, though. Mr Hall explained: "The dust would gather quite a lot back then and it used to catch fire. Burning yarn, the smell was atrocious."

About recent developments at Axminster Carpets, he said: "I'm really sad. I'm hoping that whoever takes it over can build it up again."

GRAHAM TURNER

GRAHAM Turner went from bottom to top during his 50 years at Axminster Carpets.

He joined the weaving department straight after school in 1954 and held the title of weaving manager when he finished 50 years later.

Things were very different during his early days, and he said nobody of his colleagues had a car.

"I think two had motor bikes, the rest walked or cycled," he said.

Commenting on the company as an employer, he said: "Brilliant. You couldn't fault the owners. I worked under Harry, Simon and Josh."

Graham's son Kevin also worked for the company for a while.



A keen skittler, Graham recalls when they played in various pubs around town before Axminster Carpets got its own social club. He said: "We used to play in the old Phoenix, The George and The Lamb, then Harry got the social club going."

About the current situation, he said: "It's very sad what's gone wrong.

"I hope someone takes it on."

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Councillors go out to meet people

TOWN councillors were out in force on market day to man a surgery next to the Minster Church in Axminster.

Members of the public were encouraged to ask questions, make suggestions or raise issues of concern on matters that town councillors may be able to assist with.

The rain probably didn't help to attract residents on Thursday, March 7th, but councillors were by no means idle.

Kelly Bennett and Karl Evans, for example, discussed "a little bit about everything" and Ray Chalkley took the opportunity air his views on the need for a relief road when *Pulman's View* paid a visit.

Town councillors were expected to review the surgery during a meeting on Monday, March 11th as *Pulman's View* went to press.



■ TOWN MATTERS: Douglas Hull, Susan Spiller, Graham Godbeer, Kelly Bennett, Karl Evans, John Stevenson, Andrew Moulding, Ray Chalkley and Paul Hayward

Axminster firm providing Red Nose call centre

AN Axminster company's call centre will provide 60 phone lines for Comic Relief on Red Nose Day.

Axminster Tool Centre has also found volunteers to man the lines on what promises to be an exciting and busy night.

It will be the first time the company has got involved in this way, and a spokesperson explained how it all came about by saying: "We saw that Comic Relief were advertising for call centres so we applied and got it."

"We had to meet certain criteria e.g. we needed to be able to provide at least 50 phone lines. We have managed to provide 60 lines."

Referring to the volunteers, the spokesperson said: "They are mainly from the company, but there are a few

family and friends of staff involved too.

"It will be worth watching the BBC on the night as they often feature regional call centres."

Red Nose Day is on Friday, March 15th and the Axminster Tool Centre spokesperson added: "The call centre will be getting involved and fundraising themselves all in the name of charity. Local personalities have been invited to take part on the night so watch this space."

It's 25 years since Red Nose Day first burst onto TV screens and into the nation's heart and thanks to the generosity of the great British public, millions of pounds has been raised to change the lives of people in the UK and across Africa.

For more information, check out www.rednoseday.com

New name for crisis centre

AXMINSTER Awareness Centre will mark its recent name change to Axminster Health & Wellbeing Centre by holding an open evening on Thursday, March 14th from 5pm-8pm.

During the evening, centre staff will also show off the recently refurbished therapy and meeting rooms.

The charity has served the local community for 17 years, and recently set up a food bank in the town.

Centre manager Aynsley Jones said: "We offer a valuable life line in times of crisis."

"Our community projects continue to serve local people, and we would like to thank all the community: the Minster Church, local schools, other charity organisations, local authorities and the people in the Axminster community for their continued support."

More information is available on 01297 32331.

News briefs

Asbestos at the hospital

A NUMBER of eye appointments were rescheduled after suspected asbestos was discovered at Axminster Hospital.

Northern Devon Healthcare NHS Trust manages the hospital and a spokesperson explained the situation by saying: "When vinyl flooring was taken up as part of a routine re-flooring project at Axminster Hospital, some old vinyl tiles were found underneath."

"Experience and best practice tells us that, due to the estimated age of the vinyl tiles, they may contain a small measure of asbestos."

"To err on the side of caution, and in line with the trust's asbestos policy, these tiles were removed."

"Unfortunately, as the flooring work took a day longer than anticipated, some eye appointments due to take place on Wednesday February 27th had to be rescheduled."

Station upgrade

DEVON and Somerset Fire and Rescue Service has submitted plans for its upgrade of Axminster Fire Station. A planning application was submitted to East Devon District Council on March 4th for permission to extend and alter the facility.

The plan for the current police station to be vacated and officers moving down Lyme Close to a new base within the fire station.

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Dick Whittington meets The X Factor!

THE tale of Dick Whittington was brought to life by youngsters from Axmouth Children's Theatre when they presented their annual pantomime - 'It's Cool for Cats'.

With an original script by director Malcolm Henty and his young writing assistant, Beth Wood, the play was engaging from the start with all the dialogue written in rhyme.

With a cast entirely made up of local young people, the group staged an entirely new version of Dick Whittington, with the focus on the coveted first prize of The X Factor Panto Pop final and some hilarious on stage moments.

Slapstick

With typical visual comedy and slapstick, the pantomime had a traditional feel, with key comedy moments

PANTOMIME REVIEW by Laura Goldsbury Noy

It's Cool For Cats Axmouth Children's Theatre Axmouth Village Hall

featuring cream pies to the face, local jokes and colourful costumes.

I was not surprised in the slightest to hear that the show had been a sell out, with Axmouth Village Hall filled to the brim with local supporters, as the youngsters took to

the stage confidently and with smiles all round.

Beginning the story with Dick Whittington played by the confident and thigh slapping Victoria Herrity and Dick's cat Jools (Callum Wood), the story explored Dick leaving home for London to find success and fortune.

From the start, Victoria aced the role of Dick, with an air of confidence expected from someone far senior. As the story began to unravel, I realised that not one of the cast members was struggling, all bringing something new and exciting to the stage.

Confident

From the confident hostess, Simone Cowbell (Amber Lee Snell) to Cai Sutherland's brilliant efforts, playing not only the Alderman, whose hilarious antics had me crying with laughter, but also Old Mother Whittington, complete with high pitched voice and wig; each cast member had their own strengths.

A particular favourite for me was the talented Callum Wood who played Jools the cat; he took to the stage for a solo performance of 'Cooler Than Me' with swagger, expertise and beautiful vocals.

Together with Jessica J The Stray, played by Ayesha Keast, the pair of cute cats brought a new dimension to the story of Dick Whittington, even producing a litter of onstage kittens for added humour.

Bringing the cute factor to the show, were a team of four young girls who took to the stage in bright pink tops, leggings and leg warmers as the on stage band, 'Pop Sox'.

Providing virtually all the music and vocal talent to the

play, the group of four teeny boppers were loveable as they giggled and grinned their way through the show, and performed a number of songs and dances from Katy Perry's 'Fireworks' to One Direction's 'What Makes You Beautiful'.

Another highlight was a fabulous performance from two young guys known on stage as the 'No-Hoppers'. Shimmying into the spotlight, in full drag, feather boas and glamorously made-up faces, the lads' rendition of 'Hey Big Spender' had the audience rolling in the aisles and roaring with laughter.

The villains of the pantomime, Bonnie (Jess Spiller) and Clyde (Matt Real), also brought fun to the stage with their meddling antics, stealing Miss Cowbell's precious jewels and trying to fix the winners of The X Factor Panto Pop final by messing with 'Steve Millman's famous clapometer'.

Sing-a-long

Of course, the traditions of the children's theatre came bounding straight back to their home village, finishing the play with the much loved 'Axmouth Song,' well in tune with the classic Wurzels number, 'I Am A Cider Drinker'.

As the cast and crowds sang along to "Pull out the flags for Axmouth, prettiest place on the coast," and the bad-dies of the production had been banished to Beer, I could see that yet again there had been another triumph for the Axmouth Children's Theatre.

A real community effort, well done all.



ROMANCE FOR THE HERO | Dick Whittington (Victoria Herrity) finds love in the Alderman's daughter Petunia (Devon Foster)



HEY BIG SPENDERS | The No-Hoppers put on a shocking and confident display in a special guest appearance during the play



COMEDY DOUBLE ACT | Mopey and Sopey brought fun and jokes to the stage



CUTE KITTENS | Dick's cat Jools (Callum Wood) and Jessica J The Stray (Ayesha Keast)

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More than 70 turnout for big town clean up

A SEA of yellow t-shirts could be seen standing at Fisherman's Gap last weekend when members of the community turned out for Seaton's first ever big clean.

More than 70 volunteers arrived for the special clean-up event, which was organised by the Seaton Development Team, Chamber of Commerce and town council with support from EDDC to clear the beach and town ahead of the tourist season.

Twenty bags of rubbish were collected during the event held last Saturday from areas including the beach, West Walk, Fisherman's Gap and promenade area, Fore Street, Queen Street, Cross Street and Harbour Road.

by Laura Goldsbury Noy
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Volunteers got their hands dirty, litter picking, weeding flowerbeds, clearing grass and unwanted weeds from paths and creating displays along the seafront.

Well supported by the local community, a number of Seaton businesses joined in the event and pledged their support to keep the town tidy including Pebbles café, who hosted the start of the clean-up and gave free bacon baps to Big Clean volunteers.

Meanwhile, New Look News handed out hot drinks to all who needed them throughout the event and Frydays offered free

drinks post event.

Local groups such as the Axe Valley Runners, Axe Valley Pedlars, Seaton and District Lions, Seaton Baptist Church and children from Seaton Primary School also came to help on the day.

East Devon District Council Community Safety and the Street Scene team also played their part, providing litter pickers, bags and cleared away rubbish afterwards.

Co-organiser and member of Seaton Town Development Team, Karin Frewin said: "We planned the Big Clean with Seaton & District Chamber of Commerce and

it's great to see so many people coming out to help with our first

event. "We've had fantastic support

from our local shops. Everyone's enthusiasm has been amazing."



FIRST EVER BIG CLEAN | More than 70 volunteers gathered at Fisherman's Gap with a mission to clean up the town

Show your support at Mariners Hall AGM

MEMBERS of the Mariners Hall Management Committee in Beer are hoping for support at their upcoming AGM.

Although the hall is surviving the current difficult financial times through careful management, the committee would like as many people as possible to understand the real challenges the hall is facing and to ask for both individual's and organisations' support.

The hall costs approximately £1,200 per month to run, before the cost of maintenance and repairs and before making any capital improvements.

The hire charges reflect the basic day-to-day running income needed and any improvements are funded by additional fundraising.

All decisions made about the hall, its repairs, safety and booking rates are made by the whole com-

mittee, which consists of representatives of organisations in the village, plus two parish councillors and three additional village members elected at the AGM.

A spokesperson for the committee said: "The Mariners Hall is a registered charity in its own right, which means that every time it is used the hirer is not only raising money for their own cause but also raising money for

the Mariners Hall charity, so that the facility continues to be available in the community.

"Ultimately if use of the hall decreases there will be real concerns about its future viability. Please come and show support for your hall, find out how it is run and ask questions. All will be very welcome."

The meeting will be held on Monday, March 25th at 7pm in the balcony room at the Mariners Hall.



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Pulman's View

from the

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With NIGEL SPELLER

JOHN Streeting Rector of the Axe Valley Mission Community writes:

I always regret that Christians are so easily typecast as people somewhat lacking in a sense of humour. The truth is that some lack it and are somewhat dour in their approach to life, but I would like to think that many of us can see both the amusing side to life as well as the mundane, the tragic and the sad.

We have just had a short break in Spain and one of my parishioners quipped on my return last Sunday: "Thank goodness you're back. The only spiritual direction we have had has been from the Chief Rabbi."

With apologies to friends in the Free Churches, the fact remains that neither the Anglican nor the Roman Catholic church has a leader at present. The reality is that both churches are at an exciting time in their history, when they have the opportunity to relate a lot more effectively to contemporary society and thus become a more vibrant force for good. The question that remains is will either church seize this moment?

Put another way, will our churches address the matters of greatest importance such as world poverty, equality and political freedom, care for the planet, and compassion for our fellow human beings whatever their status or background, or will it continue to be obsessed with its old obsessions of sexuality male authority, and women bishops? We live in hope!

Roman Catholic news next - of the resignation of Cardinal O'Brien after allegations

appeared in a Sunday newspaper. And with Pope Benedict's retirement, next comes election of his successor.

The new Archbishop of Canterbury has planned a busy time for his early weeks. Following his introduction in the House of Lords as Archbishop he will now undertake a "Journey of Prayer" around the Province of Canterbury calling on a city a day spending time in prayer and meeting people. No date for Devon yet but we hope it will come.

The Exeter Diocese Synod meets this month when formalities regarding the Bishop of Crediton will take place and finance will be major business.

Lent events continue with Palm Sunday on March 17th, and once again Palm Crosses, grown and made in the Companion Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf will be blessed and distributed in many churches across Devon. Proceeds in 2012 was £1,800 sent to the churches in the Middle East.

In the meantime Lent events continue in East Devon with Seaton Christian Aid Group offering Lent lunch on March 22nd at 12noon in the URC Church.

We are also in the middle of Fair Trade fortnight 2013 and last week we promised a source of recipes - www.exeter.anglican.org/yourchurch/fairtrade - do see what can be done with those recipes! In addition there is a Fairtrade Everyday Cookbook for £13.99 available by telephoning 08700707717.

JOHN Swain is a self-confessed computer geek and the proud proprietor of the newly-started Swish Computers in Axminster.

He is also a keen cricketer who would love to go and watch the West Indies play at home.

● WHERE were you born and where did you grow up?

I was born in Yeovil, Somerset, but grew up in Sherborne, Dorset.

● WHAT type of jobs have you done over the years?

I've been an assistant manager with Woolworths, a semi-professional singer and guitarist and an IT consultant.

● ARE you simply a bloke who is good with computers or are you a total computer geek?

I've racked up over 2,600 hours of gameplay on World of Warcraft and a gamerscore of over 100,000 on Xbox 360. I've played or owned every computer/console since the Atari 2600. My first PC was a 486/dx2 and I've never been without one since. It is probably safe to say I'm a total geek.

● WAS starting your own business a difficult decision to make?

This is something I have wanted to do for a long time now. I just had to wait for the right time. The hardest decision is picking a name but thankfully my nickname at the cricket club was an obvious choice.

● WHAT, if anything, is needed to improve Axminster to make it more attractive?

I wouldn't change the way that Axminster looks. All I would like to see is less of the large continental lorries coming through the town center.

● WHAT are Axminster's strong points?

This is quite easy to answer after recent events and that's the sense of community we have here.

● WHAT makes you happy?

Spending time with my two boys, Dominic and Sebastian. The eldest loves his computer and the youngest loves his sport. Let's hope he's a better cricketer than his dad!

60 seconds



● WHAT is your favourite meal?

Anything as long as you cover it in pastry. I don't have a sweet tooth.

● WHERE is your favourite holiday destination?

Jacksonville in Illinois, USA. When I was a singer and guitarist I had the pleasure of performing over in America. I will always love it there. I do want to go to Jamaica and watch the West Indies cricket team play whom I support.

● DO you have any hobbies?

Computer games and cricket. To be honest, I don't really have any time for anything else.

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the antiques trade, both as an auctioneer and valuer and as an antique dealer but also comes from a family of antique dealers, auctioneers and antique collectors so he has been

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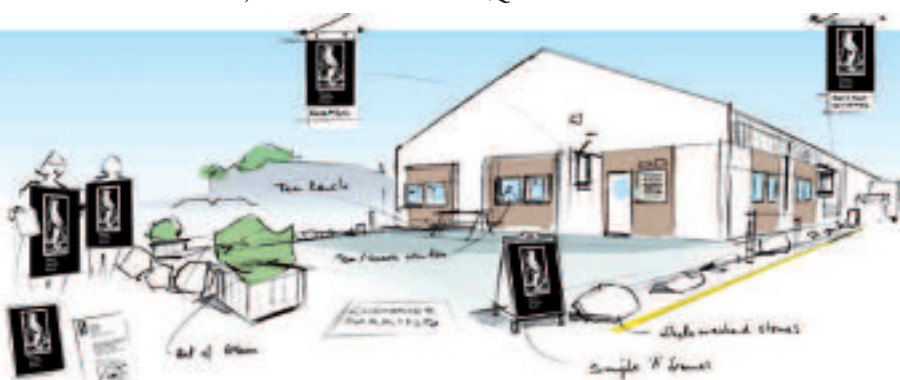
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Hawkchurch primary children dress up for World Book Day



■ CHILDREN from Hawkchurch Primary School made a special effort for World Book Day last week. The students dressed up in a variety of costumes depicting characters from their favourite books, including pirates, princesses, animals and witches. All the classes came together to enjoy storytime.

Three crews attend barn fire in Feniton

FIREFIGHTERS were called to a barn fire in Feniton in the afternoon of Saturday, March 2nd.

The alarm was raised just before 3pm and a spokesperson for the fire and rescue service said: "The service mobilised three fire appliances from Ottery St

Mary, Honiton and Middlemoor along with the water carrier from Danes Castle to the incident. On arrival the first appliance confirmed that the fire was out when they arrived and no further appliances were required. Crews used one hose reel jet to damp down only."



East Devon Women's Institutes ROUND UP

KILMINGTON

FOLLOWING apologies and singing of "Jerusalem" sung, business began at the Kilmington WI February meeting.

Two members were invited to discuss and collect the new WI Guide.

The group meeting at Uplyme is on April 10th and several members wished to go. The Spring Council meeting at Torquay on April 17th is to have Ann Widdecombe as the principal speaker. The AGM is to be in Cardiff this year.

Speaker for the evening was Peter Hayward, a milkman for 25 years, telling members about the industry and the changes that have taken place. He displayed a selection of glass milk bottles, the oldest one being American. Most had the producers name on and the older ones had cardboard disc tops much-loved by children for making pom-poms with wool.

The flower of the month was won by Phyllis. A group of members will again enter the Axe Vale Festival hopefully with the entry they prepared for last year's cancelled

Festival.

There will be an Easter cookery demonstration in the pavilion organised by the Food, Crafts and Skills section on March 4th.

The next meeting, entitled "Your Captain Speaking" will be on March 14th.

COLYTON

COLYTON WI President Brenda Clark opened the meeting with news of the Axmouth Group Meeting, council meeting and a group outing to Sherborne on May 8th.

Tea followed, served by Margaret Barker and Katie Darby.

Visiting speaker, Kay Townsend, gave a talk on "Fairgrounds At War". As a member of a showman's family from Weymouth, she told members how fairgrounds were required to close during WWII but were later re-opened by the government if they observed the black-out.

Joan Garner created a wonderful peg doll and won the competition, while Teresa Hattam won the flower of the month competition.

ADVERTISER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

Honiton Hearing supports Lions Club project

THANKS to Colin's customers at Honiton Hearing Centre, Colin has been able to supply a third full box of hearing aids to the Lions Club's National Collection of Unwanted Hearing Aids Project.

"As technology improves and peoples hearing changes, the hearing aids often no longer meet the owners' needs. This scheme, run by the Lions Club, enables my customers to donate equipment which no longer suits their requirements to people in need in places such as Africa and India," Colin explains.

The project is being led by Vic Truluck MBE, who added: "A donation not only prolongs the life of the equipment but benefits people who cannot, one way or another arrange their own hearing aids."

"Last year the Lions Clubs were able to send over 11,000 working hearing aids to the needy in overseas countries. It is because of the help we get from the

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It is calculated that manufacturers meet about 10 per cent of the global needs for hearing assistance, with the remaining not being able to afford hearing aids or assisted devices.

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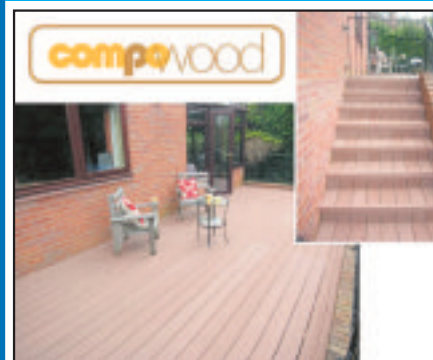


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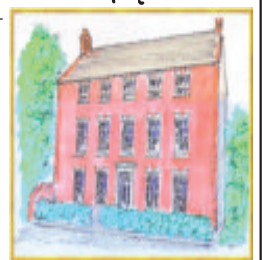
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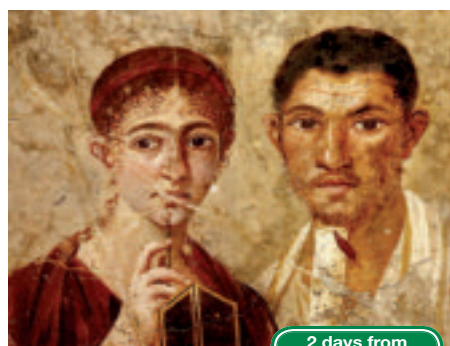
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The National Homebuilding and Renovating Show returns from 21-24 March 2013 to provide advice and inspiration to help visitors create their perfect, bespoke property

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Organisers anticipate the Eco Home Show will be a very popular feature this year when adding sustainable features to the home is at the forefront of nearly all self-builders minds. With the Government's commitment to carbon reduction, the introduction of the Green Deal, the Renewable Heat Incentive and all UK homes being fitted with smart metres by 2020, homeowners have become increasingly aware of how important it is to live in an energy efficient home. With this shift in consumer behaviour, the show will be able to

meet visitors' requirements for eco knowledge, products and services.

To make sure every homeowner is up to speed, new speaker Gary Wilburn, director of award winning Architects HPW and will conduct daily seminars in the new Eco Theatre alongside our eco Home specialist, Tim Pullen, covering everything from Green Deal advice to sustainable building materials, top tips on energy saving and how to create a low energy high performance and sustainable home.

Kingsland Timber Design, designers and builders of garages, outbuildings, garden office and studios since 1988, is launching its Kingsland Country Cottage, a One Bedroom Eco Starter Home for the first time as part of The Eco Home Show at the National Homebuilding and Renovating Show. The affordable eco friendly home is built using locally sourced and sustainable materials and designed to appeal to those living in the countryside who would like to get a foothold on the housing ladder. Visitors can walk through the cottage and go upstairs to stand on the bedroom balcony to admire the view of the show.

Each year The Advice Centre is an extremely popular feature where visitors can speak with industry specialists to arm themselves with invaluable information and advice for any scale

project. The experts on hand are from Homebuilding & Renovating, Real Homes and Period Living magazines as well as respected institutions such as KSBA, FMB and Aedis who will have impartial expert representatives at the show to provide you with advice from financial tips, sustainability and glass and glazing to surveying and kitchen and bathroom design and installation. Make sure you book your free 15 minute consultation with the concierge as soon as you arrive at the show.

The words 'planning permission' can often put many people off entering into their own self-build – but don't let planning horror stories get you down, head along to the Planning Clinic and let the experienced independent RTPI qualified planning experts from Foxley Tagg Planning Limited guide you through all the areas of the planning process and put your mind at ease.

Head along to one of the free 20 minute Masterclass Programme sessions by specialists within the industry that know the products and systems inside out – the people that design and make them! There are 52 sessions in total during the show and a variety of topics will be covered including design, loft conversion, finance, heating, ventilation, smart home and sustainable building.

For the first time, as an addition to the masterclasses, the show will be hosting The Big Ideas Theatre where visitors can come and see demonstrations from innovators highlighting the most ground-breaking products new to the market. Discover pioneering ideas and inventions to help renovate and remodel your home.

This year there are three informative seminar theatres to choose from. The Self-build Theatre, brought to you by Homebuilding & Renovating magazine, the new Home Improvement Theatre, brought to you by Real Homes magazine and The Eco Home Theatre, constructed by Frame Wise Ltd are a must visit while you're at the show. The show's resident experts will guide you from foundation to finish with their real life experiences and practical pointers on avoiding those common pitfalls when self-building or renovating. Seminar topics this year include how to add space and value to your home, inspirational kitchen designs, self-build secrets, the beginner's guide

to self-build, choosing an eco home construction method and renewable energy finance, just to name a few!

Supporting the Home Improvement theatre is the new Home Improvement & Interiors Homebuilding pavilion, an area dedicated to internal decor and finishes offering aesthetic inspiration to those who desire the latest furnishings, fixtures and fittings to complete their projects. Exhibitors will be showcasing the hottest furniture, flooring, lighting, appliances, tiles, paints and wall coverings for 2013, leaving you bursting with ideas. Make sure you bring along your plans to the Ask The Architects zone where you can be guided through them by expert architects from RIBA. These experts will offer you sound advice on how to get your project started and at the same time offer alternative design ideas from site analysis to developing a brief for your architect.

Get inspired by 'A Place to Call Home', a new exhibition curated by Sarah Beeney and presented by The Royal Institute of British Architects, that looks at how the domestic property landscape has transformed over the past 250 years.

The Tricks of the Trade live demonstrations conducted by the show's resident DIY Doctor, Mike Edwards, will provide visitors with guidance and tips on avoiding cowboy builders, how to skim plaster your walls and top tiling tips and tricks. Pick up essential DIY skills and put them into practice in the Try it Yourself Area.

With spring around the corner, your garden will also be another important area to consider. The Landscaping Zone offers visitors inspiration on how to make the most of your outside space and find out how sustainable and energy-generating products can be incorporated within a garden setting.

All the experts at the show provide credible commentary and

recommendations for every aspect of your project ranging from design, finance, renewable, energy sustainability, restoration and legal issues. Additional experts to the show this year include Jason Orme (editor of Homebuilding & Renovating magazine); Roger Hunt (award-winning writer and eco expert); David Snell (self-build and plot finding expert); Chris Reeves (chartered builder and lawyer); Hugo Tugman (architectural designer and Real Homes magazine Design expert) and Bob Branscombe (chartered surveyor and builder).

Standard tickets are £12 if booked before 3pm on March 20th 2013, or £17 on the door (children under 16 go free). For more information and tickets, visit www.homebuilding-show.co.uk or call the ticket hotline on 0844 581 1377.

The show is open 10am – 5pm daily.

To win one of five pairs of tickets to The National Homebuilding & Renovating Show on March 21st-24th 2013, just answer the following question:

Where is The National Homebuilding & Renovating Show held this March?

Send your answers, along with your name, address, contact telephone number and email address to:

Rob Larcombe, View from Newspapers, Unit 3, St Michael's Business Centre, Church Street, Lyme Regis, Dorset DT7 3DB, or by email to rob@pemedial.co.uk

Entries must be received by Friday, March 15th at 2pm. Winners will be selected at random.

PLEASE NOTE: tickets will be sent in the form of a leaflet with downloadable e-ticket (with a unique reference code). If you would prefer to receive your e-ticket information by email rather than post, please specify on your answer form, and be sure to leave your email address.



Brain Gym No.212

Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

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C	I	L	P	O	V	U	X	R	D	S	J	G

Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

Cryptic Clues:

Across

- See 17 Down
- Throw out a proposed scheme (7)
- Obstruction to trade - but amber changes to the green light! (7)
- This finishes off the letter with a flourish (5)
- More agents could make them (10)
- They jog one's memory about a number of books left unsold (10)
- Classifies varieties (5)
- An imposing place to live, but you'll find the fellow is no different (7)
- I'll be in oblige area ready to act (7)
- Rocky shelf where the toboggan loses its top (5)

Down

- Pursuing those with guardians at a later date (10)
- But when they are plaried they don't make the soil light! (5)
- A bit of unrest, I realise, is created by the agitator (4)
- Object to a little work and set a problem (8)
- He takes down what has been produced (8)
- Sea-food - that's what the married woman puts on ... (7)
- ... having obtained it from him! (10)
- Contradicted - man-ages to get help (8)
- Green may be seen in the ring (7)
- Result of vandalism - mother gets a long stretch of time (6)
- 7 & 7 Ac. Discovers a geological feature, but shows dissatisfaction (5,5)
- Nothing must take precedence over eastern river (4)

Quick Clues:

Across

- Send (5)
- Truck (7)
- Groffly (7)
- Young eel (5)
- Nobleman (10)
- Tittle (10)
- Tag (5)
- The devil (7)
- Restraint (7)
- Fear (5)

Down

- Western (10)
- Blank (5)
- In good health (4)
- Accent (6)
- Leading (8)
- Bondage (7)
- Degenerating (10)
- Barter (8)
- Disperse (7)
- Small (6)
- Guide (5)
- Fashion (4)

Sudoku

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Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

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LAST WEEK'S CIRCLEGRAM SOLUTION:

The letter represented by the question mark is A. Waterloo, Vauxhall, Victoria, all stations on the London Underground.

LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS:

CRYPTIC - Across: 1 All the last; 8 Ape; 9 Endorsement; 11 Flammable; 12 Alibi; 13 Minute; 15 Closest; 17 Nick; 18 Airways; 20 Adventures; 22 Rot; 23 Street-car. Down: 2 Tan; 3 Error; 4 Averse; 5 Toe-nail; 6 Rattlesnake; 7 Neap-tide; 10 Demonstrate; 11 Remains; 14 Thieves; 16 Banner; 19 Route; 21 Spa. QUICK - Across: 1 Newspaper; 8 Own; 9 Implicate; 11 Ferment; 12 Error; 13 Accord; 15 Stable; 17 Comet; 18 Visitor; 20 After course; 22 Sir; 23 Stavedore. Down: 2 Elm; 3 Price; 4 Plants; 5 Payment; 6 Contributor; 7 Underwear; 10 Past company; 11 Franchise; 14 Rotates; 16 Averse; 19 Slope; 21 Sir.

Tek Sing cargo auction at Bearnas Hampton and Littlewood

THE Exeter auctioneers Bearnas Hampton and Littlewood are hoping to cause a wave of interest when they offer a large consignment of Chinese porcelain that came from the wrecked junk the Tek Sing. Lost on February 6th 1822, after its captain took a short cut across the Belvidere Shoals near Indonesia, it was a



tragedy on a par with that of the Titanic. Being only 50m long it had a crew of 200 and was carrying 350,000 pieces of porcelain and 1800 Chinese immigrants! The loss of life was greater than that on the Titanic with only 190 survivors.

The ship was discovered in 100 feet of water and the cargo salvaged in 1999. Bearnas Hampton and Littlewood have been instructed to sell over 4000 plates, bowls, vases and boxes. Some are so heavily encrusted with coral and shells they are barely recognisable, but every piece has its own tragic story to tell.

The sale which is the first to be held on a Saturday by Bearnas Hampton and Littlewood, also includes many other ceramics, silver, jewellery works of art and furniture and is on Saturday, March 16th starting at 10am and estimates range from £20 to £600.



The auction is on view on Friday, March 15th from 9am – 7pm, so for those of you who have never been to an auction this is an ideal opportunity to come along, see what happens during an auction and have a go at bidding. There will also be someone on hand to help and advise you if you are new to auctions. For further information please telephone the Okehampton Street Saleroom on (01392) 413100

Femmes Fatales in Awliscombe



HIGHLY REGARDED | Sarah Moule

FEMMES Fatales – Songs For Scarlet Women, Wild and Wicked comes to Awliscombe this week, with Sarah Moule accompanied by Jenny Carr.

Sarah is a highly-regarded jazz vocalist. Audience reaction to this new show described it as “compelling”, “empowering”, and “highly original”. It celebrates the Femme Fatale in all her feisty glory as heroine, heart-breaker, rule-breaker and role model. Sarah examines the archetype of the fateful woman, from Cleopatra and the Suffragettes to Film Noir, Mata Hari and Madonna: using monologues to tell these women’s stories and songs to uncover a potent mix of sex-appeal and danger.

Although the show contains nothing dangerously

saucy, it is aimed at adult audiences.

There will be a bar and refreshments available.

‘Femmes Fatales...’, which takes place at Awliscombe Village Hall this Saturday, March 16th from 7.30pm, and is a Village In Action event.

Tickets are available from David Chippington (01404 43480) or by email (oldchips@hotmail.com) adults £7, Children £5, Family £20.

Choral Society to perform Handel’s ‘Israel in Egypt’

OTTERY St Mary Choral Society’s spring concert will be held in Ottery St Mary Parish Church, starting at 7.30pm on Saturday March 23rd.

The church is a perfect setting for the soaring choruses of Handel’s oratorio “Israel in Egypt.”

Most of you will know “Messiah”, but perhaps are less familiar with the magnificent “Israel in Egypt” which Handel composed three years earlier.

It is scored for double chorus and orchestra, containing relatively little solo material. The work is dominated by large-scale virtuoso choruses which tell the story of the flight of the Israelites out of Egypt after suffering from plagues of frogs, lice and locusts, not to mention hail, thunder and days of darkness.

The choir will be joined by well-known local soloists Rebecca Smith and Leslie Baker. Mezzo-soprano, Rebecca Smith, was a member of Glyndebourne Festival Chorus and Touring Opera for several seasons and

makes regular appearances on the concert platform in venues such as the Festival Hall and in the Promenade Concerts at the Albert Hall. Tenor, Leslie Baker, trained as a Choral Scholar at Cambridge. He has an extensive oratorio repertoire and has performed with many choirs and choral societies in the South West.

The orchestra, led by Sarah Greinig, will also be performing Haydn’s Symphony No. 82 in C, sometimes known as “the Bear”

A glass of wine and light refreshments will be offered after the concert as usual (included in ticket price).

Tickets are available from Stagestruck in Ottery St. Mary (01404 811311) or from society members.

For any further information regarding OSMCS and future concerts please visit our website or contact: Liz Hooper on 01404 42116 or Annie Bassett on 01404 823331.

ReView | Musical Fidelity EB-50 headphone

MUSICAL Fidelity, known as a quality hi-fi company, have moved into the headphone market with their first model, the EB-50.

Designed from scratch (as opposed to the company simply attaching their logo to an off-the-shelf model), the EB-50s have a unique look; the military-spec aluminium body is a little industrial looking, but the earpieces are, surprisingly, not as heavy as they look, and perfectly comfortable, whilst maintaining a very high level of build quality as you’d expect

from Musical Fidelity.

Comfort is obviously well considered by Musical Fidelity, as the EB-50s come with a selection of ear tips so you can find the perfect fit for your ears. As well as the tips, you will also get a carrying pouch, polishing cloth, ear hooks and a couple of adaptors.

The sound quality of the EB-50s is impressive. The mid range is where they shine, with a brilliant clarity and openness. Lower end bass is good but not-overpowering by any means;

whilst the treble at first is a little harsh, but after a few minutes of getting used to, this balances well against particularly the middle, and low ends.

If you prefer bass driven, dance tunes, the EB-50s might not be for you. But if you like the authenticity of real instruments and clear vocals, the EB-50s are a very good option.

The Musical Fidelity EB-50s are available from various online retailers for £149r.p.

by ROB LARCOMBE

Axminster Choral present works by Mozart, Charpentier and Purcell

AXMINSTER Choral presents Mozart’s Missa Brevis and Te Deums by Charpentier and Purcell on Saturday, March 16th at the Minster Church, with Music Director, Judy Martin.

Conductor Judy Martin makes her fourth appearance with Axminster & District Choral Society at 7.30pm on Saturday, March 16th at The Minster Church in Axminster, conducting three great works with soloists based in Devon who have previously been pupils or colleagues of hers in various other choirs.

Judy has been rehearsing the choir of over 80 singers since Christmas and will also be conducting an orchestra of leading musicians drawn from professional players based in the south west. The five noted soloists all have strong connections with Devon.

Judy comments “I have known Josie Walledge (nee Carpenter) since the early 1990s. We both sang in the famous Oxford choir, Schola Cantorum of Oxford. In 1997, when Peter and I started a new professional octet as the church choir for St Mary Magdalen Church, Oxford, Josie was one of the founder members of this choir. She has since often sung with my vocal ensemble, Voces Sacrae. Josie was brought up in Colyton, where her father Adrian was the choir director for the church choir. She now lives in Exminster with her husband, Christopher, and her two children. Christopher is also a soloist at the concert and he has given many solo performances in the UK and Europe. He currently sings in a number of chamber choirs in Devon, as well as directing Sine Nomine, a group which he founded at Exeter University more than 20 years ago.

“I met and worked with Edward Woodhouse 10 years ago, when he attended a residential cathedral course in York Minster which I was directing. Edward was a treble in those days and, by coincidence, he is now a member of Exeter Cathedral Choir, so we have become reacquainted.

“Both Philippa Dand and Anselm Carr-Jones were Gap Year Choral Scholars in the choir of Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, when I was the Director of Music. During that year, Philippa is now studying for a PGCE at Exeter University, and Anselm is a Lay Vicar Choral in Exeter Cathedral Choir, so I am still very much in touch with them. Anselm made his countertenor debut in Exeter Choral Society’s December performance of Mozart’s Requiem.

Judy Martin has had a varied career as both a conductor and a teacher. She has recently moved to Devon from Dublin where she spent eight years as Director of Music of Christ Church Cathedral. Before Moving to Dublin, Judy was Director of Chapel Music at Worcester College Oxford. During her time in Oxford, she held posts at Exeter College, The Queen’s College and Christ Church Cathedral, as well as directing the Choir of St Mary Magdalen, Oxford, and a professional vocal ensemble, Voces Sacrae, a group she continues to direct.

The Concert begins at 7.30 pm and tickets (£10) are still available from Archway Books in Axminster or the Red Cross in Seaton and may be available at the door on the night.

Further details from 01404 881838 or the website, www.axminsterchoral.co.uk

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HAWKCHURCH: Art Exhibition: Favell Bevan-Arti is a local artist whose work encapsulates the beautiful Jurassic coast. At Fairwater Head Hotel. Viewing times 10am-7pm. Entry is free. Telephone 01297 678349 for more details.

TUESDAY MARCH 12TH

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BEER: Seaton, Beer and District Branch of RNLI AGM at the Function Room of the Dolphin Hotel. From 7.30pm. Presentation by Kevin Riley and Steve Hockings-Thompson on the new Shannon Class Lifeboat and Supacat Launch Vehicle for Exmouth Lifeboat Station.

AXMINSTER: Stay and Play at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 10-11.30am.

AXMINSTER: Bumps to Baby Buddies at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 1-3pm.

AXMINSTER: Sing, Rhyme, Activity Time at Axminster Scout Hut from 1.30-2.30pm.

WEDNESDAY MARCH 13TH

AXMINSTER: Learn To Cook Healthily with Health and Local Food for Families (HALFF) from 10am-12.30pm. Helping beginners in the art of cooking healthy TASTY budget meals. Especially aimed at men, or people at risk of heart disease, diabetes or high blood pressure, or the over 50s. To book a place, call Sue on 01297 631782.

COLYTON: Auditions for Colyton Theatre Group's summer play, Lord Arthur Savile's Crime, produced by Margaret Smith. Auditions at 7.30pm at St John Hall. Telephone 01297 23171 for more details.

AXMINSTER: Solihull Approach Parenting Programme at Axminster Primary School, 9.45am-11.45am (booking essential).

AXMINSTER: Developmental Baby Massage at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 1.30-2.30pm (booking essential).

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Stay and Play at Honiton Bottom Road. 10-11.30am.

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Breastfeeding Clinic at Clapper Lane. 10-11.30am

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Child Health Clinic at Honiton Bottom Road. 1-2.30pm.

OFFWELL: Offwell Whist Drive at Offwell Village Hall from 7.30pm.

THURSDAY MARCH 14TH

YARCOMBE: Devon Moviola in association with Yacombe Film Night present 'Quartet' (cert 12A). In the village hall, doors open 7pm, film from 7.30pm. Tickets £5 available by calling 01404 861386 or 01404 681541. Refreshments available.

SEATON: SeatonMusic Concert. Mark Bebbington, piano recital. BBC Music Magazine 5***** for his recordings of English composers. Music by Ireland, Bridge and Briggs. Town Hall, 7.30pm. Members free. Tickets £12.50 on the door or in advance from the box office, 01297 625699. For full details visit www.seatonmusic.org

AXMINSTER: Millwey Stay and Play at Millwey Community Centre from 10-11.30am.

AXMINSTER: Breastfeeding Café - new group at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 10-11am.

AXMINSTER: Family Learning (Story Sacks) at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 1-3pm (booking essential)

AXMINSTER: Here's Looking at you Baby at Millwey Community Centre 1.30-3pm.

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Twins Group at Clapper Lane. 10-11.30am

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Let's Explore at Honiton Bottom Road. 10-11.30am.

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Family Learning - developing confidence and self-esteem. At Clapper Lane. 1-3pm.

AXMINSTER: Fun Friday & Story Telling at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 10-11am.

FRIDAY MARCH 15TH

SEATON: Seaton Farmers Market at the Town Hall. Stalls include: Locally grown vegetables, Home produced cakes and Jam, Locally born and reared rare breed pork and lamb plus occasional Ruby Devon beef, Sheepskins, woven scarves and throws from the wool of local sheep, Game, venison, pheasant, rabbit in season. Local wood turner, Fresh local chicken, Cheese producer, plus Tea, coffee and cakes available, run by local church group.

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Young Parents Group at Clapper Lane. 10-11.30am

SATURDAY MARCH 16TH

AXMINSTER: Wise Intentions Band of 3 Brothers return! Playing live at The Axminster Inn, Silver Street, 9.30pm start! Great mixture of covers & original music! Not to be missed! Everyone welcome, free entry! For more details please visit www.wiseintentions.com or call mobile: 07749295438

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Diary Dates

Church, 5-7pm approx. Tickets available at Haynes of Colyton or on the door and now by PayPal (check our Weblog: friendsofstandrews.blogspot.co.uk/ for details). Free refreshments available after the event.

SEATON: Seaton and District Lions Club Charities Day. At Seaton Town Hall from 9am-12.30pm

AWLISCOMBE: Femmes Fatales - Songs for Scarlet Women, Wild and Wicked, with Sarah Moule accompanied by Jenny Carr. At Awliscombe Parish Hall from 7.30pm. Bar and refreshments available. Villages in Action event. Tickets from 01404 43480 or old-chips@hotmail.com, adults £7, children £5, family £20.

UPLYME: Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence dancing at Uplyme Village Hall from 8-10.30pm. £4.50 per person in aid of hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

OTTERY ST MARY: Gardening Club Spring Show at the Institute from 2.15pm.

OTTERY ST MARY: Concert at Parish Church with Ottery St Mary Lala Choir, from 7.30pm.

SATURDAY MARCH 16TH - MARCH 29TH

BEER: Mike Bernard RI Coastal Delights. Major solo show by established international artist. 45 New works of West Country and Italian coastal scenes in mixed media. Marine House at Beer, Fore Street, Beer, Devon, EX12 3EF. Opening day Saturday, March 16th. 11am-5.30pm. Gallery open Sunday - Monday. For more details telephone 01297 625257

SUNDAY MARCH 17TH

SIDMOUTH: Jazz In The Afternoon at Kennaway House. Featuring John Hooper Trio with Pete Allen, from 3-5.30pm. Tickets £10 on the door.

MONDAY MARCH 18TH

SEATON: Friends in the Community Meet at United Reformed Church, Cross Street, 2.15-4.15pm.

Monthly speaker Micheal Gorton: Detective Stories. Bring and Buy stall, Refreshments and raffle. Assisted transport from Beer, Seaton and Colyton, All welcome. call Sharon on 07910997163 for more details. Supported by the Seaton and District Hospital League of friends.

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Sing, Rhyme Activity Time at Clapper Lane, 10-10.45am (Walking+), 11-11.45am (New born - walking)

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Baby Massage at Honiton Bottom Road, 1-2.30pm (booking essential)

AXMINSTER: Bumps to Baby Buddies at Scott Rowe Room, Axminster Hospital, 1.30-3pm.

TUESDAY MARCH 19TH

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WEDNESDAY MARCH 20TH

HONITON: Honiton U3A Annual General Meeting at Turks Head Lodge, Exeter Road. Starts 2.15pm. The attendance of members is important on this occasion when it is hoped to announce the venue for future meetings.

SEATON: Jurassic Folk Singer Night. All welcome, free admission. At The Grove. For more details call 01297 20064 or visit www.eastdevonfolk.org

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HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Child Health Clinic at Honiton Bottom Road. 1-2.30pm.

THURSDAY MARCH 21ST

OTTERY ST MARY: Play and praise at Ottery Parish Church, 10.30am-12noon. A session for under 5s and their carers with a story, craft and songs. Come along and meet the Rev Stephen Weston and our new Team Rector who will be leading this service. For more details call 01404 812062 or visit www.otterystmary.org.uk

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Twins Group at Clapper Lane. 10-11.30am

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Let's Explore at Honiton Bottom Road. 10-11.30am.

HONITON: Honiton Children's Centre: Family Learning - developing confidence and self-esteem.

At Clapper Lane. 1-3pm.

AXMINSTER: Millwey Stay and Play at Millwey Community Centre from 10-11.30am.

AXMINSTER: Breastfeeding Café - new group at Axe Valley Children's Centre from 10-11am.

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CHARLOTTE Reynolds, Branch Manager at Fortnam Smith & Banwell has successfully passed an NFOPP Technical Award in the Sale of Residential Property. This well-respected Award is not only a nationally-recognised industry qualification but is also an entry requirement of the National Association of Estate Agents (NAEA) - the UK's leading professional body for estate agents which regulates, guides and assists



Charlotte Reynolds
MNAEA, Branch
Manager at Fortnam
Smith & Banwell Seaton
Ltd

property sales professionals.

Charlotte said: "I decided to start studying toward this qualification when I joined Fortnam Smith & Banwell and I am thrilled the hard work has paid off and I have secured the Technical Award. For me, it is not only a personal achievement but evidence of our professionalism as an agency, showing our clients that they are dealing with someone who is knowledgeable and who they can trust to do a good job."

Peter Fortnam and Arthur Banwell, Directors at Fortnam Smith & Banwell and members of the NAEA and Institute of Commercial & Business Agents (ICBA) said: "We could not be more proud of Charlotte's achievement. We strongly believe East Devon vendors and buyers will vote with their feet in support of an agency that is staffed by

hard-working property professionals of intelligence and integrity."

Fortnam Smith & Banwell are amongst the steadily growing number of estate agents across the UK who are working with NAEA and the NFOPP to raise standards within their field.

Elizabeth Richards, Head of Legal and Policy at the National Federation of Property Professionals states:

"I heartily congratulate Charlotte on her achievement and am pleased to welcome her to NAEA membership. In an industry where standards can vary greatly between member and non-member agents and agencies, obtaining this Award represents not only Charlotte's dedication to developing as an agent but also her commitment to working to the high industry standards which the NAEA seeks to promote."

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Winner of commission-free sale announced!

FORTNAM Smith & Banwell estate agents in Seaton have been running a prize draw whereby all new instructions from December to January were given the chance to win their selling fee for free!

The Mayor of Seaton, Peter Burrows, kindly made the draw on March 5th at 11am in the Seaton office and announced Dr P Ashton as the lucky winner. On hearing the good news, Dr Ashton commented 'What a tremendous thrill! It must be fifty years since I last won a raffle and this one was certainly worth waiting for.'



Mayor of Seaton Peter Burrows draws the winner of the commission-free sale with Branch Manager Charlotte Reynolds and Senior Negotiator Teresa Youens.

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Property Of The Week



Colyford £265,000

A superb three bedroom period semi detached cottage with a number of character features including a heavily beamed ceiling to the kitchen and the dining room. Constructed from colour washed rendered elevations under a slate roof, the property was formally the Cider Mill at Mount Pleasant Farm and has uPVC double glazed windows, an en-suite to master bedroom and a most attractive enclosed courtyard garden. There is also a roof terrace with lovely rural views and two allocated parking spaces and the accommodation includes, living room, kitchen/dining room, utility area and cloakroom. The first floor comprises three bedrooms, master en-suite and family bathroom, gardens to front and rear and two parking spaces. EPC rating TBC.

For more information or to arrange a viewing please contact us on 01297 20290 or visit our website johnwood.co.uk.



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Seaton £205,000

A modern, three bedroom detached home situated on a corner plot within the popular Boundary Park Cul-de-sac. EPC rating D.



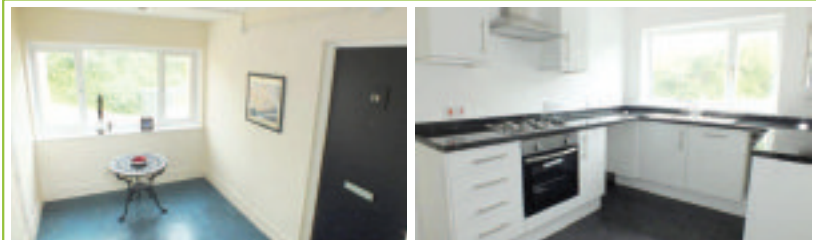
Seaton £232,500

A well presented, detached two bedroom bungalow situated in a popular area of the town. EPC rating E.



Seaton £200,000

A recently updated two bedroom and modern bungalow situated on a level plot in a popular cul-de-sac. EPC rating C.



Seaton £125,000

A modern, two bedroom, first floor flat situated on the favoured western side of town and has recently been tastefully updated. EPC rating C.



Seaton £95,000

A well presented, top floor, one bedroom flat situated close to town and benefits from off road parking. EPC Rating G.



Seaton £187,500

A three bedroom end of terrace home presented to the market in good decorative order and situated on a corner plot. EPC rating C.



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KILMINGTON £385,000



- Extended 3-4 Bed Family Home
- Flexible Floor Plan
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- Stunning 1st Floor Living/Play Room



- Bathroom, Shower Room & WC
- South Facing Rear Garden
- Backs onto Fields
- EPC Rating D



THORNCOMBE £325,000



- A Very Attractive 3 Double Bed
- Semi Detached Cottage
- En Suite & Family Bathroom
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner & Utility



- Cloakroom, Garage & Parking
- Beautifully Landscaped Garden
- Glorious Countryside Views
- EPC Rating D



COLYTON £317,500



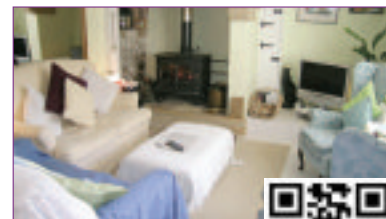
- Well Maintained Detached
- Four Bedroom Home
- Beautiful Private Garden
- Double Garage & Parking
- Quiet Cul-de-Sac Location
- EPC Rating D



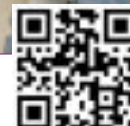
KILMINGTON £365,000



- Delightful 4 Bedroom Cottage
- Peaceful Village Lane Setting
- Two Inglenook Fireplaces
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room



- Sitting & Dining Rooms
- Secluded Garden
- Parking Space & Outhouse
- EPC Rating F



BEAMINSTER £200,000



- Stunning & Spacious Apartment
- Two Bedrooms, One En Suite
- Large South Facing Private Terrace
- Grounds, Garage & Parking
- Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty
- EPC Rating F



COLYTON £220,000



- Semi Detached Bungalow
- With Far Reaching Views
- 2 Double Beds, Bathroom & WC
- Breakfast/Sun Room
- Rear Courtyard & Driveway Parking
- EPC Rating E



'MARKET UPDATE'

So, what's happening in the housing market at the moment? Well the answer may be surprising! Things seem to be hotting up at long last. Even though we are only just into March, the number of enquiries, viewings & even offers are on the increase. Whether this will last throughout the year is unknown but all the industry press indicates the same is being seen countrywide to a greater or lesser degree. However, a word of caution! Don't be fooled into thinking that this means property prices are rising. Especially in this neck of the woods. Increased activity does not mean asking prices should rise & indeed, if we see new property coming onto the market at inflated prices, this will be a sure way to stop a recovery in its tracks. The key is consistency & we must nurture this recovery (if that's what it is) with careful handling. What this does mean though is that we are desperate for new properties to sell especially in Uplyme & Colyton. The price ranges of £200,000-£250,000 & £300,000-£350,000 are seeing the most activity but that could change as there is often a ripple effect as one price band begins to move, so another will receive a knock-on effect. So, if you are thinking of selling, please give us a call.

THORNCOMBE £695 PCM



- 3 Bedroom Character Cottage
- In Thriving W. Dorset Village
- Large Lounge, Kitchen/Diner
- Utility/Study & Sun Room
- Bathroom & Small Garden
- EPC Rating E

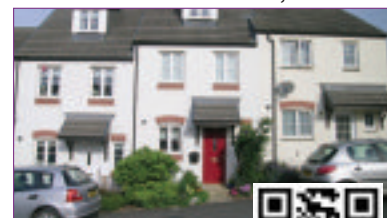


CHARDSTOCK



- Charming 4 Bed Cottage
- Edge of Village Setting
- Substantial Grounds and Glorious Views
- EPC Rating E

AXMINSTER £179,950



- 3 Double Bed Town House
- 1 En Suite & Family Bathroom
- Kitchen, Dining & Living Area
- Cloakroom & Conservatory
- Small Enclosed Garden & Garage
- EPC Rating B



SEATON £128,000



- Modern Ground Floor Flat
- 2 Beds, Bathroom & Kitchen
- Bright Living/Dining Room
- Parking & Visitor Parking
- Close to Shops & Esplanade
- EPC Rating C



SEATON £58,500



- 1 Bed Retirement Flat
- Sea Front Location
- Countryside Views
- Communal Lounge & Laundry
- Town Centre Close
- EPC Rating C



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Gribble Mead, Colyton £167,000

- Well presented, two bedroom bungalow
- Lounge
- Study
- Wet room
- Good size kitchen
- Conservatory
- UPVC double glazing and gas central heating
- Tiered rear garden
- Valley views
- Any sensible offers considered
- Energy performance rating is D

Brookfield Drive, Colyton

£285,000



- A detached family home
- Three bedrooms, one with ensuite shower room
- Spacious lounge
- Study/Dining room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom and downstairs WC
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Double Garage with Driveway
- Gas Central Heating
- Located in a very quiet Cul De Sac
- Energy performance rating is D



Scalwell Mead, Seaton £185,000

- Spacious lounge/diner
- A large sun room at the rear
- Two bedrooms
- Modern kitchen
- Newly fitted bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC double glazing
- Well landscaped front and rear garden
- Garage and driveway with ample off road parking
- No Chain
- Energy performance rating is D



Colyvale, Colyton OIEO £200,000

- Recently constructed three bedroom house
- Modern well fitted kitchen
- Lounge with french doors leading into rear garden
- Two en-suite shower rooms
- Family bathroom with jacuzzi bath
- UPVC double glazing throughout
- Gas central heating
- Easy maintenance front and rear gardens
- Off road parking for two vehicles
- Internal viewing highly recommended

Thornfield Close, Seaton

£225,000



- Detached bungalow
- Two bedrooms
- Third bedroom currently used as a dining room
- Modern kitchen and bathroom
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- A good sized, enclosed rear garden
- Single garage and driveway with parking for several cars
- Quiet cul de sac location
- Close to local bus routes
- Well presented throughout and viewing is highly recommended
- Energy performance rating is D



Trevelyan Road, Seaton £175,000

- First floor apartment
- One bedroom
- Lounge/Diner with stunning harbour and sea views
- Kitchen and bathroom with views of the harbour and axeciff
- UPVC double glazing
- Located with in a 'stones throw' of the beach
- Allocated parking space
- Viewing is highly recommended
- Ideal holiday home or investment
- NO CHAIN
- Energy performance rating is C



High Street, Sidmouth £149,950

- Centrally located, first floor flat
- Two double bedrooms
- Spacious lounge
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Small garden
- Communal entrance and stairway
- Ideal for rental investment or first time buyers
- NO CHAIN
- Energy performance rating is D

Harepath Road, Seaton

£220,000



- Detached bungalow
- Two double bedrooms
- Galley kitchen
- Bathroom
- Spacious lounge over looking the rear garden
- Gas central heating and UPVC Double glazing
- Garage and Driveway
- Front and rear garden
- Located close to bus routes
- Small sun room at the rear.
- Energy performance rating is E



Barnards Farm, Beer £105,000

- Covered entrance porch and reception hall
- Lounge, kitchen and double bedroom
- Shower room
- UPVC double glazing and gas central heating
- Connection to a 24 hour emergency care line
- Communal grounds feature attractive paved courtyard and lawn garden
- Resident house manager
- Situated close to the village centre
- Exclusively for the over 55's
- Energy performance rating is C



Seaton Down Road, Seaton £229,950

- Very close to Seaton Town centre
- Two bedroom semi detached bungalow
- Spacious Living Room
- Well appointed fitted Kitchen
- Modern bathroom
- Large Sun Room and Front porch.
- UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating
- Detached single garage and ample parking
- Lovely enclosed rear garden.
- Well presented throughout
- Energy performance rating is D

Bunts Lane, Seaton

£495,000



- Impressive detached, individual modern house
- Desirable, peaceful location-easy access to town & beach
- Four bedrooms-master with en-suite
- Outstanding far reaching sea and coastal views
- Gas central heating, cavity wall insulation & sealed unit double glazing
- Lounge with impressive fireplace
- Separate dining room & ground floor cloak room
- Stunning kitchen/breakfast room and sun lounge
- Large detached garage & extensive parking
- Stunning, landscaped surrounding gardens
- Energy performance rating is D



Kings Court, Seaton £189,950

- Spacious, modern apartment within a well maintained building
- Two double bedrooms, one with ensuite shower room
- Spacious open plan lounge and dining area
- Fully fitted, modern Kitchen
- Large family bathroom
- Large entrance Hall
- Automatic gated entrance to the grounds and allocated parking
- Communal garden with patio area
- Within close proximity of the seafront and local amenities
- UPVC Double glazing
- Energy performance rating is C

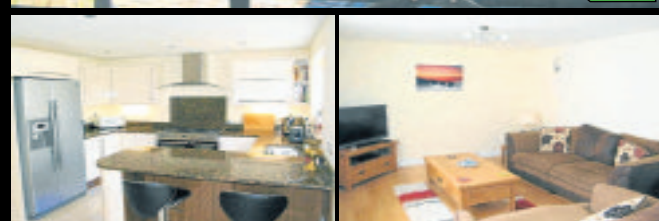


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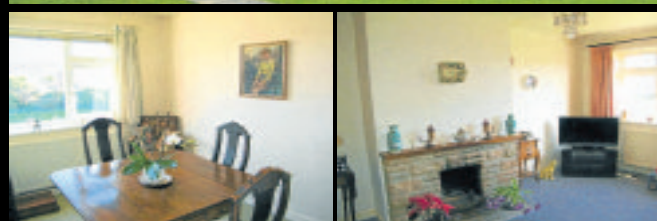
£275,000

This detached four bedroom property really does have to be seen in order to appreciate the accommodation provided. With a beautifully fitted kitchen with dining area, a light and spacious lounge and en-suite shower rooms to the master and guest bedrooms. Viewing is highly recommended.

Seaton



EPC Awaited



£180,000

Semi detached chalet style bungalow offering flexible living accommodation with two/three bedrooms lounge, dining room/bedroom three, gas central heating garage and garden.

Seaton



EPC D

£750,000

A beautiful four bedroom detached house on the favoured Western side of Seaton. Double garage and stunning sea views.

Colyton



EPC D

£400,000

An opportunity to acquire a unique detached property in the picturesque village of Colyton with six bedrooms and a swimming pool.

Axmouth



EPC D

£575,000

A spacious home of character built in 1999 in the style of a thatched cottage enjoying an idyllic rural setting.

Seaton



EPC D

£385,000

This individually designed two bedroom bungalow is situated conveniently close to the town centre.

Colyford



EPC C

£565,000

A most well appointed four bedroom detached family home close to Colyton Grammar School and the River Axe Nature Reserve.

Colyford



EPC Awaited

£350,000

This detached bungalow features three bedrooms, en-suite shower room, fitted kitchen and lounge/dining room.

Colyford



EPC D

OIEO £275,000

Featuring a large secluded garden this detached bungalow is situated within a small cul-de-sac within this popular East Devon village.

Seaton



EPC Awaited

£250,000

A fantastic opportunity to acquire a detached two bedroom bungalow situated in a popular cul-de-sac.

Seaton



EPC Awaited

£300,000

Potential development site formal tender by midday on the 29th of March contact Fulfords Seaton for details.

Seaton



EPC D

£245,000

This detached bungalow is situated in a sought after location close to the town centre and seafront.

Seaton



EPC F

£230,000

In need of modernisation and improvement this detached two bedroom bungalow is offered with vacant possession.

Castle Hill



EPC C

OIEO £175,000

An opportunity to acquire a two bedroom sea front apartment providing stunning panoramic views from Axe Cliff to Beer Head.

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Seaton, Well Presented Semi Detached Home £219,995.

An attractive three bedroom semi detached home benefiting from a most pleasing aspect with views over the cricket fields to the hills beyond the Axe Valley. Enclosed gardens, garage and parking. GFCH. DG. EPC rating C.

NEW



Seaton, Stylish Detached House Close to Town £420,000

An impressive four bedroom detached house located in a quiet cul-de-sac position close to the town centre amenities and beach and offering spacious and flexible accommodation.

Double garage. Gardens.

EPC rating D.



Beer, Character Terraced Cottage £299,950

A rare opportunity to purchase a superb and delightful three bedroom Beer stone cottage located in an outstanding semi rural valley location on the outskirts of Beer and with the benefit of gardens and parking. EPC rating D.



Beer, Superb and Spacious Bungalow £580,000

A superb and exceptionally spacious three bedroom detached bungalow constructed to an imaginative and individual design with stunning views over Beer and Lyme Bay. Double garage. Gardens. EPC rating D.

NEW



Colyton, Cul-De-Sac Position £285,000

An attractive three bedroom detached house ideally

located in a quiet cul-de-sac

position with pleasing

outward views. Double

garage and Gardens.

EPC rating D.



Seaton, Superb Edwardian Family Home £499,950.

A superb and stunning Edwardian 6 bedroom family home in an outstanding location overlooking the marina, River Axe, Haven Cliff and Lyme Bay. Gardens, garage and parking. Bed & Breakfast potential. EPC rating F.



Seaton, Detached Bungalow £224,950

An attractive three bedroom detached bungalow located in an elevated position in the western part of the town with lovely views over the Axe Valley and Lyme Bay. Conservatory & garage. Gas CH. EPC rating D.

NEW



Axminster, Brand New Bungalow. £299,950

A rare opportunity to purchase a brand new three bedroomed detached bungalow located close to the heart of Axminster and offering spacious and flexible accommodation.

Garage and enclosed gardens.

EPC rating C.



Seaton, Penthouse Retirement Apartment £125,000

A superb top floor one bedroom penthouse retirement apartment located at the heart of Seaton with balcony and views and offering a secure environment for the over 55's. Communal gardens and parking area. EPC rating C.



Seaton, Newly Converted Semi Detached Bungalow £189,950

A newly converted two bedroom semi detached bungalow quietly tucked away and located in a convenient and level position for the town centre and beach. Courtyard garden with raised planting beds. Separate garage en bloc. EPC Rating C.

NEW PRICE



Seaton, Two Bedroom Apartment £139,950.

A converted split level two bedroom apartment situated over the second and third floor and ideally located close to the town centre and seafront. Allocated parking space. EPC rating D.



Seaton, Extended Family Home £229,000

An attractive and very spacious extended four bedroom family home located in the popular Boundary Park area with potential for home office or granny annexe. Gardens. Garage en Bloc and parking space. EPC rating D.



Seaton, Detached Bungalow with Sea Views £329,950

A most attractive and spacious two bedroom bungalow located in one of the premier roads in Seaton occupying an excellent sized plot. Landscaped gardens. Garage and parking. EPC rating D.

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THE CRICKETERS



Ideal as an investment property or for a first time buyer this well presented end link, brick built house is situated in a level cul-de-sac location and within easy walking distance of the town centre, yet also close to nearby countryside walks. Benefiting from an enclosed area of rear garden enjoying lovely countryside views and allocated parking, comprises Entrance Hall, Living Room, Kitchen, 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom, **offers invited for a quick sale £124,950.**

CROSSWAYS



This fabulous family house benefits from gas fired central heating, double glazing & very large corner plot garden which must be viewed to be fully appreciated, comprising Entrance Hall, Sitting room, dining room, Large Kitchen/breakfast, Utility room, Cloakroom, workshop & other useful outbuildings, 3 good size bedrooms & new bathroom, off road parking, Recommended. **£159,950**

WESTERN BAY RESORT, WESTERN SIDMOUTH

PLOT 57



This 3 Bedroom very well appointed & high specification detached bungalow comprises: Entrance Hall, Living Room, Fitted Kitchen/ Dining Area, Master Bedroom with En-Suite, 2 further Bedrooms, Bathroom, Ample Parking, Sun Terrace & Veranda, Investment full Management Packages Available. **£250,000**

PLOT 70



This 2 double bedroomed semi-detached bungalow is very well appointed to a high specification and the well planned accommodation comprises: Entrance Hall, Superb open-plan Living/Kitchen/Dining room, 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom, Fully integrated Fitted Kitchen, sun Terrace & Veranda, Investment full management packages available. **£235,000**

PLOT 35



Weston Bay Resort is set within one of the most beautiful scenic coastline locations in the area. The development of luxury second homes has been designed to deliver a high standard of holiday accommodation and represents the ultimate investment package. This 3 bedroom detached bungalow benefits from an en-suite shower room, high quality fitted kitchen and off road parking. **£250,000.**

GILLS COTTAGE



Situated on the edge of this favoured village, this charming detached cottage requires continued refurbishment, although much work has already been completed. Set in a large, garden plot, of approximately quarter of an acre and enjoying countryside views the accommodation comprises spacious Living Room with woodburner, Kitchen/Breakfast room, 2 Double Bedrooms and Bathroom with shower. A private driveway gives access at the rear & provides ample parking and leads to a new purpose built artist studio. **Guide Price £285,000.**

OLD CHAPEL COTTAGE



To be sold by informal tender on Friday 19th April at 12 Noon.
Offers are invited in excess of £140,000 for the Freehold interest of this Grade II listed detached former chapel which is situated on the edge of the village of Tatworth. Comprising Living Room, Kitchen/Dining Room, Utility Area, Shower room, 2 Double Bedrooms, Cloakroom, Rear courtyard garden, off road car parking.

FAIRFIELD CLOSE



Situated at the end of a favoured cul-de-sac which provides rear pedestrian access leading to South Street, this deceptively spacious detached chalet house benefits from gas central heating, double glazing, ample parking/ hardstanding and comprises Entrance Hall, Shower Room/ Cloakroom, Lounge with fireplace, Dining Room, Study/Bedroom 4, Large Kitchen/Breakfast Room, Sun Room, 3 Bedrooms, Bathroom, Private gardens, Garage. **£259,950.**

SWAIN CLOSE



Situated in a quiet cul-de-sac location & backing onto an open field this very well presented detached house has the added benefit of a conservatory extension and adjoining garage. Within walking distance of the town centre the property offers gas fired central heating, double glazing and the well planned accommodation comprises Storm Porch, Entrance Hall, Cloakroom, Fitted Kitchen/ Dining Room with integrated Hob, Oven & Dishwasher, Lounge, Conservatory, 3 Bedrooms, En-suite Shower room, Bathroom, Garage, corner plot gardens enjoying a sunny aspect and country side views. **£199,950.**

STREAMSIDE DUKES WAY



Probably one of the best plots on this popular new development, this most attractive brick built, 3 Double Bedroom Town House benefits from a corner plot with sunny & private walled garden, adjoining garage with loft over and driveway. Many extra fittings include fitted wardrobes, additional cupboards, floor coverings and landscaped garden With 9 years remaining of the NHBC comprises: Entrance Hallway, Study (former cloakroom), Fitted Kitchen/Breakfast, Spacious Living Room with access to garden, Master Bedroom suite with spacious En-suite. **£199,950. Viewing Highly Recommended.**

CRANMER, DUKES WAY



Viewing is absolutely essential to fully appreciate this very well presented & spacious detached bungalow. The versatile and well planned accommodation benefits from gas fired central heating, replacement double glazing, new fitted kitchen and conservatory extension. Comprises Entrance Hallway with built in cupboards, Cloakroom, Study/ Bedroom 3, Lounge, Conservatory, Dining Room, Kitchen, Master Bedroom with en-suite shower, Guest Bedroom 2, Built in wardrobes, Bathroom, walled landscaped gardens, Large garage/workshop. **Guide Price £275,000.**

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SEATON £79,950



An updated ground floor period apartment situated in the heart of the town centre, tucked away in a private location, benefiting from a 999 year lease, an original feature fireplace, gas central heating, shared front garden and rear courtyard. Internal viewings recommended. EPC rating D.

SEATON £250,000



A detached new build 3 bedroom house situated in the heart of Seaton town centre tucked away on a 'no through' private road. The property has countryside views, modern quality fittings throughout and off road parking for 3 vehicles. No Chain. Predicted EPC rating C

SEATON £215,000



Springfield gardens is a small recently built development of just 3 bungalows and 2 houses. No 2 is a 2 bedroom Bungalow with conservatory and parking space. The property comprises entrance hall, kitchen with appliances, lounge, conservatory, master bedroom with ensuite shower room, a second double bedroom and bathroom. EPC rating B

SEATON £164,000



A well presented 2 bedroom town house currently run as a successful holiday home providing an annual income. Would equally suit either a professional couple/first time buyer or investment buyer. South Westerly facing balcony and allocated parking. The property is ideally located within a short walk to the town, seafront & beach. EPC rating C

SEATON £149,500



A spacious, 2-bedroom, ground floor apartment in a quiet location close to the town centre, shops & amenities with outlook over communal orchard. The apartment is now in need of some updating, however, it benefits from double glazing throughout. Communal parking. EPC rating C

SEATON £207,500



A modern, 3-bedroom home, tucked away in a quiet location, fronting a green with direct access to the garage from the rear garden. The property has all modern fittings throughout and is under guarantee from the NHBC. EPC rating C

SEATON £99,950



Extremely well presented, character 1 bedroom apartment situated right in the heart of Seaton town centre within easy reach of the sea and esplanade, with good sized rooms allowing flexible accommodation and some views over Windsor Gardens. EPC rating C

SEATON £185,000



Harbour Mews is a modern end-terrace town house with accommodation set over three floors. The property benefits from 3 bedrooms, parking, GFCH & double glazing throughout. The property is within easy, level walking distance of the seafront and town centre for all amenities. EPC rating C.

SEATON £184,500



A very well presented, two bedroom, first floor apartment enjoying stunning sea and coastal views. The apartment which forms part of a conversion of a Victorian property is elevated on Seaton seafront. Communal Gardens and Parking. EPC rating D

SEATON £155,000



A well presented, second floor, 3 bedroom, purpose-built apartment located in the heart of Seaton within level walking distance of the beach and town centre. The apartment benefits from a balcony with sea views and a covered parking space.

SEATON £41,500



A 2 bedroom timber holiday chalet on Tower Chalet Country Park which is an ideal base for touring, being in the centre of the recently designated World Heritage Coastline in Lyme Bay. The Holiday Park has managed lawned communal grounds, allocated residents car parking and an adjacent convenience store.

BEER £92,000



A modern purpose built first floor retirement apartment (for over 55's) with Scheme Manager. Entrance hall - landing - double aspect lounge/dining room - kitchen - double bedroom - bathroom - gas central heating - car parking - communal gardens - No chain EPC rating C

COLYTON £375,000



A freehold, well established hair dressing salon with 3 bedroom spacious and attractive apartment over with roof terrace and views across the town. The salon is being sold as a going concern with all modern quality equipment. Must be viewed. EPC rating C

SEATON £275,000



Freehold or Leasehold High Street Commercial Premises with a 3 bedroom well presented maisonette above. Located in prime trading position (Leasehold available for the lock up shop only - enquire for details.) EPC rating G

SEATON £269,500



A substantial freehold commercial premises with maisonette over in a prime trading position. The accommodation comprises: restaurant/takeaway - preparation & store room - paved rear courtyard. EPC rating D

MUSBURY £690,000

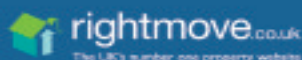


A beautiful barn conversion with superb far reaching countryside views, annexe & land approaching 5 acres with stabling. Both the Barn and the Annexe offer spacious living accommodation with full double glazing. GFCH. Double garage/workshop & ample parking. EPC rating C



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NEW

SEATON £139,950



Modern 2 bedroom apartment with lift, parking and visitor's parking. Purpose built block situated directly opposite the beach and within a short level walk to the town centre. Balcony and views towards countryside in the distance. EPC rating C.



NEW

SEATON £99,000



A one bedroom, 1st floor retirement apartment at Haven Court with a balcony and views towards Axe Cliff. The development is exclusively for the over-55s and was built in early 2002 by McCarthy & Stone. The apartment is within a short walk of the seaford and town centre. No onward chain. EPC rating B



NEW

SEATON £235,000



2 bedroom detached bungalow in a quiet cul-de-sac which has been thoughtfully renovated throughout, situated in an elevated position with far-reaching countryside views. The property includes a large eat-in kitchen and has scope to further extend the accommodation, subject to the necessary consents.



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SEATON £450 PCM



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SEATON £550 PCM



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SEATON £495 PCM



2 BEDROOM GROUND FLOOR FLAT IN TOWN LOCATION WITH: SITTING ROOM. KITCHEN. BATHROOM. 2 DOUBLE BEDROOMS. DOUBLE GLAZING. GARDEN.

SEATON £875 PCM



DETACHED HOUSE WITH THREE BEDROOMS, MASTER EN-SUITE, LOUNGE, DINING ROOM, KITCHEN, 2ND RECEPTION, CONSERVATORY, GARAGE, PARKING, GCH. ATTRACTIVE GARDENS. EPC RATING 72. CHILDREN & PETS CONSIDERED.

SEATON £625 PCM



SPACIOUS 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT. NEWLY FITTED KITCHEN. LARGE LOUNGE/DINER. SHOWER ROOM. BALCONY. GCH. GARAGE. PARKING. REGRET NO CHILDREN OR PETS. EPC RATING 77

HONITON £725 PCM



MODERN 3 BED SEMI-DETACHED PROPERTY IN CUL-DE-SAC LOCATION. LOUNGE. KITCHEN/DINER. CLOAKROOM. MASTER EN-SUITE. FAMILY BATHROOM. GARDEN. PARKING. GCH. EPC RATING 75

SEATON £575 PCM



2 BEDROOM APARTMENT SITUATED CLOSE TO BEACH AND SHORT LEVEL WALK TO TOWN CENTRE. LOUNGE. KITCHEN. 2 BEDS. BATHROOM. BALCONY. ENTRY PHONE SYSTEM. COMMUNAL HALL WITH LIFT. RENT INCL. OF WATER. REGRET NO PETS. EPC RATING 77

SEATON £550 PCM



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£995 pcm

An unfurnished five bedroom character style cottage with spacious and comfortable living accommodation, benefiting from conservatory, paved and enclosed garden and double garage. Available for short let Mid March - Mid June. Pets and children considered. EPC rated C

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Birchill, Axminster

£575 pcm

A furnished two bedroom annex to a farmhouse, on a working farm. Rural location, lovely countryside views and a pleasant setting. Regret no DSS or pets, children considered. Available immediately. EPC rated E.

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Axminster

£725 pcm

A well presented link detached three bedroom house with garage and parking. Benefitting from master bedroom with en-suite shower room, two further bedrooms and bathroom. Landscaped rear garden. Available immediately. EPC Rating C

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£895 pcm

A substantial semi detached town house with four bedrooms situated on a popular residential development on the outskirts of Axminster. The property benefits from a very large top floor bedroom with dressing room and en-suite. Enclosed rear garden and garage and parking. Available immediately. EPC Rating C

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Winsham

£925 pcm

A delightful period detached 4/5 bedroom house, previously refurbished to a high standard whilst retaining many traditional features including kitchen with Aga. Parking for up to 2 vehicles, courtyard. Available Mid March. Small pets and children considered, (regret no dogs). EPC Rating E.

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Axminster

£1,850 pcm

A detached six bedroom house situated on a small farm within a mile of Axminster, offering spacious living accommodation whilst including traditional features, three reception rooms with wood burning stoves. Ample off road parking, outside storage. Pets and children considered. Available Immediately. EPC rated D.

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Queen Street, Honiton
£550pcm

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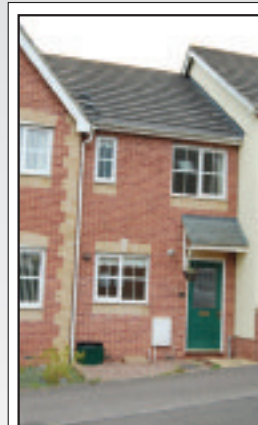
Orchard Way, Honiton
£695pcm

A well presented detached bungalow offering good size 2 bed accommodation in quiet cul de sac location within walking distance of town centre. Comprising: 2 bedrooms, spacious living room, separate dining room, fitted kitchen, separate utility room, family bathroom, FGCH, double glazed, Garage and driveway, enclosed rear garden. Conditions: No DSS, smokers or pets.



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Pale Gate Close, Honiton
£650pcm

A well presented mid terraced property offering 2 bed accommodation in popular residential area. Property comprises: 2 beds, lounge/diner, f/f modern kitchen, bathroom, gas central heating, allocated parking, unfurnished. Conditions: No pets, smokers or DSS.



The Old Cider Cellar, Awliscombe
£850pcm
(Inclusive of water use)

A delightful period property offering 3 bed accommodation within the grounds of a working farm in village location just outside Honiton. This property is presented in good decorative order throughout and comprises: 3 beds, large f/f kitchen, study, guest cloakroom, living room with log burning fire, en-suite to main bedroom, Oil fired heating, double glazed, good size garden, 2 x car ports. Conditions: No smokers or DSS, Pet considered.



Homelace House, Honiton
£475pcm

A well presented first floor apartment in this sought after retirement development close to town centre. This property is available immediately for a long term let and comprises: Kitchen, Lounge/dining room, bathroom, Double bedroom, Shared use of communal gardens, guest room, laundry room. Conditions: No DSS, Children, smokers or pets.



Westminster Close, Feniton
£680pcm

This 3 bed semi detached property offers ideal family accommodation located in popular residential area minutes from main line rail station. This property is well presented and comprises 3 beds, lounge, downstairs cloakroom, f/f modern kitchen, bathroom, garage, driveway parking. No pets, smokers or DSS.



Willowdale Close, Honiton
£820pcm

A very well presented 3 bed semi detached family home in quiet residential area on outskirts of town. This good size property offers ideal family accommodation and comprises: 3 beds (2 doubles and good size single) lounge, modern f/f kitchen with dining area, family bathroom. Full gas central heating and double glazed throughout. Garage, driveway with ample parking. Large enclosed rear garden. Conditions: No DSS or smokers, pet considered.



Holly Close, Honiton
£750pcm

A good size 3 bed semi detached property in popular residential area. This well presented family home has been newly redecorated throughout and comprises: 3 beds, lounge, dining area, F/FG modern kitchen with integrated appliances, bathroom with electric shower, Newly fitted gas central heating, enclosed rear garden, garage and driveway. Conditions: No DSS, pets or smokers.



New Street, Honiton
£520pcm

2 bed 1st floor flat in ideal town centre location. Comprising: 2 bedrooms, lounge, fitted kitchen, bathroom, full gas central heating, double glazed. Available immediately.



New Street, Honiton
£650pcm

A good size 2 bed 1st floor split level flat in ideal town centre location. The property comprises: 2 bedrooms, study/storage room, good size living room, fitted kitchen/dining area, Gas central heating. Conditions: No DSS, pets, children considered.



Hazelwood Close, Honiton
£650pcm
(Inclusive of gas/elec/water)

Well presented 2 bed house offering good size accommodation in popular residential area. This property comprises: 2 bedrooms, lounge, modern kitchen, bathroom, full gas central heating and double glazed, rear garden. Conditions: No pets, DSS or smokers.



Gronau Close, Honiton
£695pcm

Semi detached house in popular residential location offering good size 3 bed family accommodation comprising: Fitted kitchen, spacious lounge, dining room, family bathroom, enclosed rear garden, off street parking, Full gas central heating, double glazing, unfurnished, no smokers, pets or DSS. Available immediately



Oak View, Honiton
£850pcm

A superb and spacious 3 bed detached bungalow in sought after location. This property has been recently redecorated and is presented in excellent order throughout. Comprising: 3 bedrooms, good size living room, fully fitted kitchen, family bathroom, conservatory, full gas central heating and double glazing, garage and off street parking. No pets, children considered.



Tencery Orchard, Old Dunksell
£595pcm

3 bed terraced house in sought after Old Dunksell location. Property is set over 3 floors and comprises: 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, small conservatory, bathroom, enclosed rear garden. Pets considered.



New Street, Honiton
£450pcm

1 bed ground floor flat in town centre location. Comprises: 1 bedroom, living room, kitchen area, shower room, full gas central heating, double glazed. Long let available.

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£595pcm UF THIRD FLOOR FLAT 1- Large bedroom. Sitting Room / Dining Room with extensive coastal views. Built-in Oven and Hob. Shower Facility. Electric Heating. Allocated Parking.	AXMOUTH £600pcm UF LET SUBJECT TO REFERENCES END TERRACE COTTAGE 2- bed. Cooker, Fridge and Freezer. Electric Heating. Rear Garden. Off Road Parking for 1 vehicle.	£750pcm UF SEMI DETACHED HOUSE 3- bed. Built-in Oven and Hob. Cloakroom. Shower facility. Gas CH. Garden with Shed and Summerhouse. Garage.
BEER £760pcm UF MODERN TERRACED HOUSE 2-bed. Shower facility. Gas CH. Garden and parking.	BRANSCOMBE £975pcm UF SUPERB BARN CONVERSION 2-bed. Built-in white goods. 2-Receptions. 2- Shower Rooms and En-suite Bathroom. Oil CH. Terraced Garden and Parking for 2 vehicles.	AXMOUTH £1,200pcm UF THATCHED FARMHOUSE 4- bed. Inglenook fireplace. Built-in electric Oven and Hob. Bathroom and En-suite Shower Room. Oil-fired Heating. Large Garden with stone built Shed. Off Road Parking.

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£435pcm UF SECOND FLOOR FLAT Town centre location. 1-Double Bedroom. Electric Cooker. Electric Heating.	RENT REDUCED £725pcm UF MID-TERRACE HOUSE 3-bed over three floors. Built-in oven and hob. En-suite. Gas CH. Rear Garden with patio and Shed	CULLOMPTON £580pcm UF LET SUBJECT TO REFERENCES TERRACED COTTAGE 2-bed. Working Fireplace. Built-in oven and hob. Shower facility. Gas CH. Rear tiered Garden with decked area.
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£410pcm UF SECOND FLOOR FLAT 1-bed. Electric oven and hob. Electric Shower facility. Electric heating.	£450pcm UF GROUND FLOOR RETIREMENT FLAT 1-bed. Electric oven and hob. Electric Shower facility. Electric heating. Enclosed courtyard garden. Use of Communal garden and Conservatory. Over 40 age restriction.	CHURCHILL SHORT LET £500pcm PF CHARACTER COTTAGE ANNEX 1-bed. Living / Dining with woodburning Rayburn. Some white goods. Shower room. Courtyard garden. Parking.
£550pcm UF SECOND FLOOR FLAT 2-bed. Gas Feature fire. Kitchen includes white goods. Shower facility. Gas CH. Secure entry.	£695pcm UF LINK DETACHED HOUSE 2-bed. Gas Feature fire. Built-in Oven and hob. Conservatory. Shower facility. Gas CH. Enclosed rear Garden. Garage and Driveway Parking.	£695pcm UF END TERRACE HOUSE 3-bed. Built-in Oven and hob. Utility area and Cloakroom. Shower facility. Gas CH. Enclosed rear Garden. Driveway Parking for two vehicles.
CHURCHILL £900pcm UF FARMHOUSE in RURAL LOCATION 3-bed. Oil-fired Rayburn for cooking and heating. Built-in electric hob. Lounge with inglenook fireplace and woodburner. Bath with shower facility. Open plan lawn area. Parking for up to 3 vehicles.		

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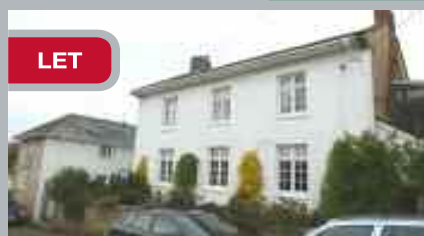
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Dalwood

3 bedroom stone built cottage. Sitting room, kitchen/dining room, utility, bathroom. Gardens, storage buildings, parking. E.N.S.H. Open fire, rayburn. EPC Band F. Web Find: 48829
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LET

Plymtree

Well appointed unfurnished 3 storey cottage. Kitchen/dining/living room, utility room, 2 bedrooms, bathroom. G.F.C.H. Garden. EPC Band D. Web Find: 34187
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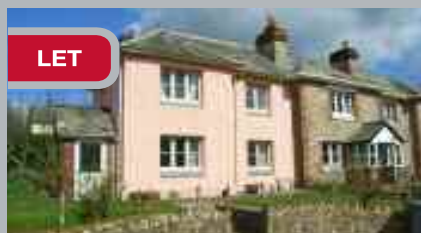


LET

Axminster

Well appointed and spacious 3 bedroom mid terrace cottage. Sitting/dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, cellar storage, bathroom. Garden. G.F.C.H. EPC Band C. Web Find: 34098
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LET

Upottery

2 bedroom unfurnished cottage in popular village location. Sitting room, kitchen, bathroom. E.N.S.H. Garden (gardener included), parking. Oil fired rayburn. Web Find: 34186
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LET

Honiton

Unfurnished 2 bedroom cottage in a courtyard setting in town centre. Sitting room, kitchen/dining room, bathroom. G.F.C.H. Allocated parking. EPC Band D. Web Find: 34253
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APPLICATION

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UNDER
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SEATON £480 PCM

A second floor, one bedroom apartment has fitted carpets/curtains throughout. Hallway has airing cupboard with auto washer dryer, cloak room. Open plan living room with lovely views. Fitted kitchen area has integral fridge, freezer, hob and oven. Double bedroom with fitted wardrobe and shower en suite. 1 parking space. Regret no pets/children. EER; D



VIEWING
NOW

BEER £500 PCM

A well appointed flat in a retirement complex with parking, communal courtyard and garden. Entrance hall, fitted cupboards, lounge with bay window, arch to fitted kitchen with appliances. Double bedroom. Shower room. Gas central heating, fitted carpets/curtains and double glazed. EER; C



VIEWING
NOW

SEATON £425 PCM

A modern one bedroom flat in the town centre. Fitted carpets and blinds throughout. Open plan living area to fitted kitchen area with integral appliances. Fully tiled bathroom with shower over bath. Gas central heating, d/gl. Regret no Children/Pets. EER; B



UNDER
APPLICATION

KILMINGTON £695 PCM

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Newlands £625 PCM

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Honiton £550 PCM

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**HIGHWAYS ACT 1980
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(FOOTPATH NOS. 93, 67 & 68 UPLYME)
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND DEFINITIVE
MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION
ORDER 2011**

On 25th February 2013 Devon County Council confirmed
the above order made under Section 119 of the Highways
Act 1980 and Section 53A(2) of the Wildlife and
Countryside Act 1981.

The effect of the order as confirmed will divert parts of
public Footpath Nos. 93, 67 & 68, Uplyme running from a
line near Lower Rhode Farm to a line running through
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A copy of the order and the order map have been placed
and may be seen free of charge at the offices of East
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9.00am to 4.00pm, Monday to Friday, or on request to the
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person aggrieved by the order wants to question its validity,
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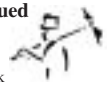
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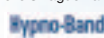


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- Mercedes-Benz is the leading premium brand in the UK in February
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- Mercedes-Benz cars lead a total of nine market segments
- C-Class, E-Class, S-Class and SLK-Class are among segment leaders
- AMG remains fastest growing performance brand in the UK - registrations up 167.8 per cent
- smart records 32.8 per cent rise in registrations for month of February

MERCEDES-Benz finished February as the leading premium brand in the UK, according to registration figures released by the SMMT today. Not only this, but, in AMG, it remains the fastest growing performance brand in the UK.

A total of 3,329 cars were registered by Mercedes-Benz in February - a gain of 13.5 per cent.

According to the SMMT figures, nine market segments are led by Mercedes-Benz cars. The C-Class Saloon, C-Class Coupé, E-Class Saloon, E-Class Estate, E-Class Coupé, E-Class Cabriolet, SLK-Class, CLS-Class and S-Class each occupy the top spot in their respective, hard-fought segments.

Once again, the C-Class appeared in the top 10 registration figures in the UK - achieving ninth place.

Performance brand AMG recorded another very strong month - achieving a phenomenal 167.8 per cent gain in registrations compared to the same period last year. Leading the gain was the C 63 AMG Coupé, registrations finishing 188.9 per cent up in February.

Registrations of Mercedes-Benz Estate cars showed significant gains - the C-Class Estate finished February up by 71.1 per cent and the E-Class Estate by 29.8 per cent.

Likewise, the B-Class, introduced to the market in early 2012, is thriving - with registra-

tions up by 277.1 per cent.

A successful month was also

recorded by smart - the fortwo achieving a 32.8 per cent rise in registrations.

Marcus Breitschwerdt, President and CEO of Mercedes-Benz UK commented: 'To be the Number One premium brand in the UK in February is a great achievement and testament to the hard work and commitment of my colleagues throughout the

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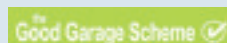
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Gardens come alive with Grizzly festival fun

SEATON'S Cliff Field Gardens came alive with activities, fun and colourful stalls as the Axe Valley Runners staged the Grizzly's community festival, Grizfest.

Despite the sea of fog, which lingered on the cliff tops, the group of dedicated Grizzly organisers were shown great support from local families who poured into the various marquees, filled with charity stalls, crafts and games and entertainment.

Officially opened by Seaton's town crier, David Craner, the festival welcomed a number of local groups from Churches Together in Seaton, who served up refreshments, to crafts and messy painting with Seaton Rainbows and Messy Church, and various charity stalls including teddy bears with the Seaton and District Lions.

Whilst the EDDC Countryside Team manned a stall with swamp monster making, the Seaton's Visitors Centre Trust were decorating biscuits and there was also balloon making and circus skills on the field.

Xtreme Falconry added a splash of something new to the event with their birds of prey display, whilst Rocky the Raccoon and Buster and Winnie the goats from Manor Farm Caravan site had the younger festivalgoers excited.

Following a colourful display on the esplanade from the Seaton Majorettes, the fun run officially began with hundreds of local children and families joining in across

the seafront, along the beach and up to the finish at Cliff Field Gardens. Winner of the fun run was youngster, Benny Stacey who was handed a special fun run medal.

Next came the 4K Junior Grizzly which showed off Seaton's younger running talent, with first male for the under 11s, Samuel Pyne, and first male for the under 13s, Alfie Devine Wright, coming in alongside under 15s winner, Charlie Smith, under 11s female, Sasha Davey, under 13s female, Florence Swann and under 15s female, Abigail Morgan.

Organiser Kay d'Albertanson said: "After the success

of Seaton's Big Clean last weekend, the Grizzly weekend has certainly been no exception.

"It has been a fantastic weekend here in Seaton and

the bizarre mix of sea mist, hail, rain and sunshine didn't seem to deter Grizfest goers at the festival. Thanks to all who contributed, supported us and took part."



SERVING UP A TREAT | Volunteers from Churches Together in Seaton and Messy Church served up refreshments



SWAMP MONSTERS | Five-year-old Adam is pictured with his very own swamp monster which he made with EDDC's Countryside team



DECORATING DELIGHTS | Eight-year-old Tilly Robins enjoyed decorating biscuits with volunteers from the Seaton Visitors Centre Trust



SPECIAL VISITORS | A handful of animals from Manor Farm Caravans site pets corner had all the attention. Pictured are Tim and Tina Salter of Manor Farm alongside Rocky the racoon and Buster and Winnie the goats with some of the festival goers



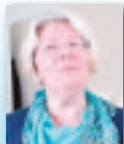
GREAT RACE | Family fun run winner, 10-year-old Benny Stacey proudly shows of his medal



TOP TRIO | The Junior Grizzly's top three, including the first place young runner, Alfie Devine-Wright



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More than 2,000 take on 'grime and punishment'

THERE was a sea of people soaring along Seaton seafront on Sunday as more than 2,000 runners took on the gruelling Grizzly Run.

Now in its 26th year, the annual Grizzly Run, this year named 'Grime and Punishment' wasn't stunted by the mixture of rain, sleet, hail and snow as thousands took on the nine mile cub run and 20.3 mile challenge.

Attracting runners from across the UK, the slippery multi-terrain run, featuring uphill routes, uneven beach terrain and slippery slimy bogs full of mud didn't disappoint, with everyone embracing the challenge and pushing through the freezing temperatures to proudly reach the finish line.

It was a very special year for one

**Words & photos
by LAURA
GOLDSBURY NOY**

member of the Axe Valley Runners, race director Garry Perratt, who will be retiring from his post following the 2013 event after seven years in the role.

As the announcement was made over the PA system to those waiting at the start line to run, the packed crowds raised their arms, cheering and applauding Mr Perratt for all his hard work before he thanked his many supporters and instructed the runners on the day's run.

As town crier, David Craner rang his bell and began the run, the runners

raced across the town's esplanade, through Fisherman's Gap, over the pebbles and across the Seafront to tackle their first uphill battle, Castle Hill.

After just one hour and five minutes, a figure could be seen appearing on top of the hill and racing to the finish as cub runner, Jez Mancer of Benfleet Running Club, sprinted through well ahead of his fellow runners.

Axe Valley Runner and local youngster, Andrew Watson, came close finishing second in the cub run. He was followed by Matthew Atkins from Haldon Trail Runners in third.

Maggie Hunt of Fetch Everyone RC was the first lady, 13th overall, with Axe Valley's very own ladies

- Rebecca Platt and Carol Austin - taking second and third ladies position.

Meanwhile, the slippery course and mighty bog were no match for overall Grizzly winner, Jeff Pyrah of Hastings AC, who won the race in what was described as an "unbelievable time" of 2:24:07.

Exmouth Harriers' Tom Merson came in close behind in second with a time of 2:24:33, whilst Axe Valley Runners' Matt Clist had the local crowds cheering as he swept into third place with a time of 2:31:33.

After a short time, the Grizzly's first female competitor came bounding across the esplanade towards the finish with a time of 2:59:44.

There were celebrations all round for the race organisers, Axe Valley Runners, after they had their highest ever number of runners in the top ten: Tim Lenton came in 5th,

2:35:26; Patrick Devine-Wright, 6th, 2:35:57 and Simon Bayliss, 8th, 2:37:31.

Other Axe Valley Runners included Tom Bland, 19th, 2:47:19; James Gular, 72nd, 3:03:26 and Martin Lascelles, 110th, 3:10:04.

Alongside the run, there was a true feeling of community as various local groups and organisations pledged their support to help on the day. Whilst members of the Seaton and District Lions and various volunteers helped to marshal the event, staff from Tesco handed out bananas to the race finishers and East Devon Sports Therapy and General Injury Clinic offered their healing hands for sports massage.

Axe Valley Runner, Dave Mutter, said: "We had another successful and brilliant event, despite this year's freezing conditions with a soupcon of snow, sleet and rain, slippery underfoot and, of course, more road due to the cliff collapse

in Old Beer Road.

"If the runners had it tough, then spare a thought for all the marshalls lead by Rick Wood, back markers, drink station helpers, musicians and spectators around the course who once again came up trumps despite the severe weather. "All runners, when asked what the best bit of the run was, picked out the marshalls for praise.

"Special thanks to all the Grizzly committee headed by Garry Perratt for all their really hard work in putting on this successful prestigious race that will raise thousands of pounds for various charities.

"Many of these people like Chris Irving and Bernard Fry are not seen on race day as they are out on the course checking and clearing.

"Thanks to all the Axe Valley Runners, various volunteers and helpers and all those who came and ran and supported the 26th Grizzly event."



CELEBRATIONS | Jeff Pyrah is handed his trophy for first place by Axe Valley Runners' president and DCC councillor, Jim Knight



WINNER | Isobel Wykes receives her trophy for first placed lady from Jim Knight



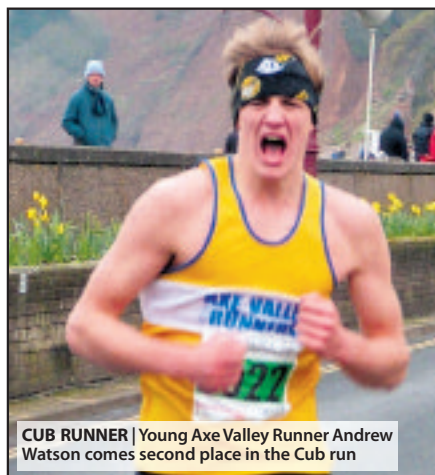
TOP LOCAL | Axe Valley Runner, Matt Clist comes in third place and does his supporters proud



BEER RUNNERS | Emma and father Michael Barry run towards the finish line



GOING STRONG | Samuel White from Beer powers up Castle Hill



CUB RUNNER | Young Axe Valley Runner Andrew Watson comes second place in the Cub run

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To sum up the work of a sports therapist:
Diagnose - Treat - Rehabilitate - Prevent injuries

Well Dones to all the Grizzly runners!



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East Devon football round-up

As they stand

Premier	Pld	Pts
Hatherleigh Town	18	47
Feniton	19	45
St Martins	17	38
Heavitree SU	17	33
Newtown	18	30
Morchard Bishop	14	29
Seaton Town	18	29
Beer Albion	22	25
University	18	25
Thorverton	18	23
Willand Rovers	21	18
Topsham Town	16	17
Clyst Valley	20	15
Exmouth Amateurs	18	11
Budleigh Salterton	22	11

Division One	Pld	Pts
Chard Town	17	40
Sidbury United	17	35
Bow AAC	13	31
Heavitree SC	16	29
Wellington Town	28	28
Witheridge	15	27
University	15	27
Tiverton Town	11	26
Alphington	19	23
East Budleigh	17	14
Tipton St John	14	8
Cullompton Rangers	11	5
Culm United	11	2
Colyton	11	2

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Elmore	17	43
Beacon Knights	15	39
Sidbury United	18	33
Bickleigh	15	32
Halwill	15	23
Colaton Raleigh	11	11
Honiton Town	8	15
Westex Rovers	16	15
Pinhoe	10	13
Exeter Civil Service	15	13
Topsham Town	11	11
Sidmouth Town Res	15	11*
Clyst Valley	14	11*
Chagford	14	10

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Dolphin	15	38
Newtown	18	37
Credition United	15	36
Newton St Cyres	17	36
University	17	35
Lymington	18	32
South Zeal United	15	32
Uptonery	18	26
Hemyock	14	21
Tedburn St Mary	13	20
Thorverton	19	20
Offwell Rangers	19	15
Ottery St Mary	16	13
Winkleigh	15	13
North Tawton	15	11
Sandford	17	4

Division Four	Pld	Pts
Heavitree SC	17	40
Chumleigh	17	35
Axminster Town	20	31
University	17	30
Woodbury	16	29
Exmouth Amateurs	17	27
Newtown	23	26
Axmouth United	14	21
Exmouth Town Res	19	21
Lords XI	16	20
Bampton	14	17
Okehampton Argyle	16	12
Seaton Town Res	18	10*

Division Five	Pld	Pts
Cheriton Fitzpaine	16	42
Culm United	15	30
Hatherleigh Town	16	29
Awilcombe United	15	26
Sampford Peverell	17	26
Topsham Town	16	25
Countess Wear	16	25
Beer Albion	20	22
Bow AAC	17	21
Clyst Valley	15	19
Lapford	16	16
Westex Rovers	14	14
Uplowman Athletic	16	13
St Martins	14	9

Division Six	Pld	Pts
Dawlish United	16	37
Feniton Res	16	36
Dunkeswell	17	33
Amory Park Rangers	14	31
Silverton	18	28
Topsham Town	19	26
Stoke Hill	25	25
Morchard Bishop	21	21
East Budleigh Res	16	20
Langdon	12	19
Amory Argyle	14	19
Exwick Village	12	18
Priory	15	10
Chagford	17	9
North Tawton	14	1*

Division Seven	Pld	Pts
Fluxton	16	35
Halwill	12	33
Starcross Generals	19	32
Tipton St John	17	31
Otterton	16	29
Ottery St Mary Res	20	25
Honiton Town Res	14	24
Newtown St Cyres	14	23
Lymington	20	23
Colaton Raleigh Res	14	20
Met Office	15	20
Tedburn St Mary	18	17
Open Space Int.	16	12
Cheriton Fitzpaine	19	9

Division Eight	Pld	Pts
Alphington 3rds	16	33
Newtown 4ths	17	30
Bickleigh Res	13	26
Bampton Res	16	26
Langdon 3rds	12	26
Pinhoe Res	12	24
Colyton Res	18	24
Sidbury United Res	15	22*
Woodbury Res	22	22
Offwell Rangers Res	15	20
Hemyock Res	15	20
Lapford Res	16	15
Sandford Res	15	15
Winkleigh Res	15	8
Follygate & Inward'gh	15	5

*Pts deducted

Honiton denied, but Millwey in final

MATCH REPORTS

MILLWEY RISE 4 LAMERTON 3 Devon Intermediate SF

MILLWEY Rise are through to the county cup final for the second year running after another great day for the club.

In a well contested game Millwey led 3-1 up at half-time thanks to goals from Ben Turner, Sam Dibling and wonder strike from Terry Emmett.

As expected Lamerton threw everything at Millwey in the second-half and pulled a goal back, only for Sam Dibling to double his tally and make it 4-2.

The visitors scored again and went close to levelling but were denied by a great block by Rise captain Matt Hall.

Millwey are back in league action on Saturday at home to Beaminster.

LUSO-CHARD 3 MILLWEY RISE RES 1 Perry Street Division Three

MILLWEY Reserves were beaten by a slick Luso side, who took another step towards the Division 3 title.

Rise battled hard and certainly weren't disgraced after this tough assignment.

Millwey's goal was a freak own goal, where Luso's 'keeper 'air kicked' a back pass from his right back.

Luso did have a slice of luck with their second goal, which was set up by a hand ball.

Millwey's next game is Saturday's Bill Bailey Cup semi-final at Hinton St George, where they will be looking to book their second cup final appearance of the season.

SIDMOUTH RES 0 BICKLEIGH 6 D & E Division Two

AFTER a game that will be remembered for all the wrong reasons Sidmouth found themselves on the end of a 6-0 thrashing from visiting Bickleigh.

They started brightly and Louis Grant actually had the ball in the net inside the opening 10 minutes but to everyone's surprise the referee disallowed it.

Unfortunately several individual errors from the Vikings were punished severely and they trailed 4-0 at half-time.

The visitors scored a fifth soon after the restart and, but for some excellent saves from Man-of-the-Match Scott Newberry, it could have been even more embarrassing.

Bickleigh scored their sixth goal late-on to leave the hosts well and truly beaten.

Manager Nick Ogden was bitterly disappointed, he said: "That was the worst performance of the season for me, we looked completely baffled, the lads know they're better than this and are now in a real dogfight.

"We can move on and put this behind us or we can lie down and give in, these lads I'm sure will fight on.

"I felt sorry for Scott who made a fantastic penalty save only for their forward to slam in the rebound, but he was the only one who came out of this with his head held high, things were against us from the start but the less said about that the better."

Round-up

TIVERTON TOWN will meet Windmill FC from Plymouth in the Firewatch Devon Senior Cup final next month after the yellows put paid to HONITON TOWN 4-1.

All four goals from Tivvy came in the first-half with Lee Woodman getting a hat-trick, two of them penalties, but he also missed a third spot-kick. Kieran Rapo was the other Tiverton scorer. Honiton got one back after the break from Mark Bowles, but never looked like catching up.

TOPSHAM TOWN lost 2-1 to WINDMILL and agree the better side won on the day.

EXMOUTH AMATEURS moved off the bottom of the Premier division table with the surprise of the day – a 2-1 win at MORCHARD BISHOP.

THORVERTON eased their relegation worries with a 3-0 victory against the UNIVERSITY with Adam Langabeer netting twice and Marcus Riggs once.

FENITON missed the chance to go top when they tripped up 3-1 at in-form SEATON TOWN.

Two-goal Dan Norman and Josh French scored for Seaton who defended brilliantly. Dave O'Connor scored for Feniton who had plenty of chances.

BEER ALBION were 2-0 winners at CLYST VALLEY, the referee would not start the game at BUDLEIGH SALTERTON against TOPSHAM TOWN as the pitch was unplayable, and WILLAND called off their game against ST MARTINS in respect of personal circumstances following a big motorway accident on the M5.

Division One leaders CHARD TOWN were back on a winning note beating close rivals SIDBURY UNITED 2-1.

WELLINGTON had to settle for a 2-2 draw with TIPTON ST JOHN. Jody Freeman had both Saints' goals.

CULM UNITED 2-0 up against

COLYTON through John Alford and Ben Sharland slipped back to draw 2-2, but ALPHINGTON clung on for a 1-0 win against EAST BUDLEIGH with Ryan Moody getting their only goal.

Division Two leaders ELMORE turned on the style to lash CLYST VALLEY 8-0, Jordan Copp 4 and Kevin Mills 2 doing most of the lashing.

Division Three leaders DOLPHIN had to work hard to beat lowly NORTH TAWTON 3-0. Jimmy Lee-Shaw, Marc Smith and Elliot Wells were the scorers.

OTTERY ST MARY shared a 1-1 draw with OFFWELL, Dan Jewell's goal was wiped out by Corey Couch for the Rangers.

In Division Four CHULMLEIGH pulverised visiting SEATON TOWN 11-1 closing the gap on leaders HEAVITREE whose match was postponed.

RESULTS

DEVON SENIOR CUP SF

Honiton Tn 1, Tiverton Tn 4.
Topsham Tn 1, The Windmill 2.

BUDDENS WESTINSURE

DEVON INTERMEDIATE CUP SF

Northside Atlantic 2, Buckland & M 1

FRESHA DEVON & EXETER

PREMIER

Clyst Valley 0, Beer Albion 2.
Morch Bishop 1, Exmouth Amats 2.
Newtown 1, Heavitree Social Utd 2.
Seaton Tn 3, Feniton 1.
Thorverton 3, University 0.

DIVISION ONE

Alphington 1, East Budleigh 0.
Bow AAC 2, Cullompton Rgs 1.
Chard Tn 2, Sidbury Utd 1.
Culm Utd 2, Colyton 2.
University 4, Witheridge 2.
Wellington Tn 2, Tipton St John 2.

DIVISION TWO

Beacon Knights 2, Halwill 0.
Chagford 3, Westex Rovers 2.
Colaton Raleigh 4, Exeter CS 2.
Elmore 8, Clyst Valley 0.
Pinhoe 3, Dawlish Utd 0.
Sidmouth Tn 0, Bickleigh 6.

DIVISION THREE

Dolphin 3, North Tawton 0.
Hemyock 0, Credition Utd 2.
Lymington 0, South Zeal Utd 0.
Newtown 4, Winkleigh 1.
Ottery St Mary 1, Offwell Rgs 1.
Tedburn St Mary 6, Sandford 1.
University 4, Thorverton 0.
Uptonery 3, Newton St Cyres 4.

DIVISION FOUR

Axminster Tn 5, Exmouth Tn 2.
Bampton 1, Exmouth Amateurs 4.
Chulmleigh 11, Seaton Tn 1.
Lord's XI 4, Newtown 1.
University 3, Woodbury 5.

DIVISION FIVE

Beer Albion 4, Bow AAC 1.
Clyst Valley 0, Sampford Peverell 7.
Countess Wear Dyn 1, Culm Utd 4.

Lapford 2, Awilcombe Utd 2.
St Martins 5, Cheriton Fitzpaine 0.
Westex Rovers 0, Topsham Tn 1.

DIVISION SIX

Dunkeswell Rovers 3, Amory Argyle 2.
Feniton 4, Chagford 0.
Langdon 6, Priory 1.
Silverton 0, Morchard Bishop 4.
Stoke Hill 1, Dawlish Utd 2.
Topsham Tn 1, Amory Park Rgs 4.

DIVISION SEVEN

Cheriton Fitzpaine 1, Lymington 2.
Fluxton 5, Newton St Cyres 2.
Halwill 3, Tedburn St Mary 0.
Met Office 0, Honiton Tn 5.
Open Space 2, Starcross Gen 6.
Otterton 8, Ottery St Mary 2.
Tipton St John 5, Colaton Raleigh 1.

DIVISION EIGHT

Alphington 3, Bampton 1.
Bickleigh 3, Hemyock 5.
Colyton 6, Folly Gate 2.
Langdon 2, Lapford 1.
Sidbury Utd 2, Offwell Rgs 1.
Winkleigh 1, Sandford 3.

FIXTURES

FRESHA DEVON & EXETER (kick-offs 3pm, unless stated)

PREMIER

Clyst Valley v Budleigh Salterton.
Feniton v Thorverton.
Hatherleigh v Heavitree Social Utd.
Morchard Bishop v Beer Albion.
St Martins v Newtown.
Topsham Tn v Exmouth Amateurs.
University v Seaton Town.

DIVISION ONE

Cullompton Rgs v Colyton.
East Budleigh v Culm Utd.
Heavitree Social Utd v Sidbury Utd.
Tiverton Tn v Tipton St John.
University v Bow AAC.
Witheridge v Wellington Tn.

DIVISION TWO

Colaton Raleigh v Bickleigh.
Dawlish Utd v Honiton Tn.
Elmore v Halwill.
Exeter Civil Service v Clyst Valley.
Pinhoe v Beacon Knights.
Sidmouth Tn v Topsham Tn.
Westex Rovers v Chagford.

DIVISION THREE

Credition Utd v Lymington.
Dolphin v Hemyock.
Newton St Cyres v University.
North Tawton v Winkleigh.
Offwell Rgs v Newtown.
Ottery St Mary v Sandford.
Thorverton v Tedburn St Mary.
Uptonery v South Zeal Utd.

DIVISION FOUR

Chulmleigh v Bampton.
Exmouth Tn v University.
Heavitree Social Utd v Axmouth Utd.
Okehampton Argyle v Newtown.
Seaton Tn v Exmouth Amateurs.
Woodbury v Lords XI.

DIVISION FIVE

Awilcombe v Sampford Peverell.

SW PENINSULA DIV 1 (E)

DIVISION ONE (EAST)	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Exmouth Town	20	17	3	0	48	54
Newton Abbot Spurs	21	13	4	4	23	43
Budleigh Salterton	23	13	3	7	8	42
Stoke Gabriel	17	11	3	3	32	36
Appledore	20	11	3	6	16	36
Teignmouth	23	10	3	10	3	33
Gampton United	21	10	1	10	-10	31
Axminster Town	19	8	4	7	-1	28
Exeter Civil Service	20	7	6	7	-5	27
Okehampton Argyle	18	7	4	7	-2	25
Exeter University	17	6	6	5	-5	24
Totnes & Dartington	19	6	3	10	0	21
Alphington	19	6	2	11	-17	20
Plymouth United	20	4	2	14	-19	14
Credition United	19	3	1	15	-43	10
Sidmouth Town	20	0	4	16	-28	4

Perry Street League

PREMIER	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Wisham United	11	8	3	0	14	27
Beaminster	14	7	4	3	6	25
Combe Reserves	14	7	2	5	6	23
Crewkerne Town	12	7	0	5	6	21
Lyme Regis	11	6	2	3	12	20
Perry Street	10	4	2	4	-4	14

Millwey Rise Res	13	5	2	6	15	17
Hawthorchurch United	11	4	1	6	-8	13
Lyme Bantams	12	3	3	6	-3	12
Chard Utd Res	15	3	2	10	-23	12*
Hinton St George	16	3	2	11	-44	11
Misterton Res	12	1	1	10	-48	4

DIV 4	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Shepton Reserves	12	11	0	0	34	31*
Shepton Beau	12	2	4	6	-12	10
Ilminster Town Res	10	1	3	6	-10	6
Farway United	11	0	3	8	-18	3

DIV 3	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Luso-Chard	12	11	1	0	32	31*
Wisham Utd Res	14	10	1	3	29	31
Combe A	13	10	1	2	25	31
Drimton	12	7	2	3	17	23
Ilminster Town A	16	7	2	7	8	23

bowls axminster

THE men had an excellent 58-55 win at home to the Devon Vice-Presidents with winning rinks of John Hill, Gerald Knott, Geoff Clode & Bob Sherborne (17-14) and Morrison Brown, Phil Stephens, Neil Solomon & Norman Denslow (23-20) **WRITES DAVID HARRIS.**

The Ladies lost their Devon Foxlands League game with top-of-the-table Madeira 50-123 with no winners before narrowly losing a triples friendly at 45-48 at home against the same opponents, despite winning on two of the three rinks played; Jo Barnish, Diana Courtenay-Smith, & Ann Clayton (20-7) and Joan Quick, Mary Preston & Margaret Crompton (19-16).

The Ladies then had a good 52-40 home win against Honiton in a friendly match with wins on all rinks; Alison Glyde, Pauline Knight, Diana Courtenay-Smith & Ann

Clayton (19-10), Phil White, Eve Cole, Daphne Ryan & Margaret Crompton (16-14), and Margaret Stancilffe, Lou Harris, Jean Kesterton & Judith Moffitt (17-16).

In the mixed friendlies we lost 63-91 at Bridport in a four-rinker with a winning rink of Bob Turpin, Morrison Brown, David Harris & Margaret Crompton (22-20) before beating Chardstock 84-56 at home with success for Eve Cole, Mary Preston, David Harris & Brian Clark (33-11) and Phil White, William Cook, Pam Clark & Ann Clayton (27-16).

We held a very successful Captains Day at Cloakham recently with Lady Captain Jean Kesterton organising an excellent meal which was followed by a 'Round-Robin' Competition.

The Ladies and Gents prizes went to Pam Clark and George Mabon respectively.

hockey honiton hornets

HONITON HORNETS 7 DART 3RDS 0

HONITON took the attack to the visitors for the majority of the first-half but came up against a goalkeeper in fine form.

Birthday girl Dawn Mayo was first on the score sheet when she finished off a pass from Vanessa Trude with a neat flick. Jean Herniman scored next when she slotted home a lovely pass from Lucy Le Cocq.

Sophie George added number three when pressure from Mayo on the Dart defence caused the defender to make a mistake clearing the ball. George's first time strike ricocheted off the 'keeper's pads and into the corner of the goal.

The final goal of the first-half came from a strong first time shot from Amy Phillips. In the second-half Honiton's struck three more times. Katrina Tucker scored a fantastic goal with a great run up the left wing and reversed stick first time shot.

George's second goal came began with a great crossfield pass from Tucker.

The final goal came when Hammett's shot was deflected home by Emma Adams.

Whilst the result reflects a good win for the Hornets, the team had to work hard in all areas of the pitch as Dart had a good number of attacks of their own.

Player-of-the-Match was Laura Frank.

golf news and scores

'Yellow ball' a hit

AXE CLIFF with Janet Dack

ON Friday last, in a departure from the customary Medals and straight forward Stablefords, over 40 Seniors took part in a team of three Yellow Ball event.

All three members play the yellow ball for six holes (ie 1st, 4th, 7th etc) and the points scored with the yellow ball are doubled and added to the best score from the other two.

A score with the yellow ball was essential to each team, as without it, only one score from the remaining two is permitted.

Despite some minor difficulties, it was generally agreed that this was an enjoyable event and should be repeated once or twice a year.

The winners on Friday, with an amazing total of 113, were Chris Walker, Nick Povey & Peter Rollason.

Runners-up, with an excellent 109 points, were Alan Vincent, Sid Pember & Derek Williamson and occupying third spot with a score of 102 were Malcolm Glass, Iain Bain & Mike Jamieson.

Chris Walker, Nick Povey and Bob Play all recorded twos.

HONITON with Andy Wagner MENS STAPLEFORD

THE game was scheduled to be a Medal so the relief amongst the players when we found it had been changed to a Non-Qualifier Stableford was palpable.

Played in frosty conditions, with every hole a temporary, the scores were still effective and the day was very enjoyable.

A tight Division One was taken by new vice-captain Ron Graham with 37pts ahead of Jim Wallis and Julian Netherway, both on 36pts.

Division Two was even tighter with count back dividing, in order; Mike Godfrey, Norman Runciman and Dave Lavender, all on 39pts.

TUESDAY MIXED

Tuesday was a beautiful sunny day and 38 members made use of the good weather to play this week's format Rye Foursomes.

The winners, with 39pts, were Dot Grove & Allan Seager.

In 2nd place with 36pts were Jackie Seager & Terry Linsdell while 3rd place went to Cherry & James Liell with 35pts on c/b from 4th placed Bob Barnes & Di Wall.

The 5th placed pair was Jean Smith & Jason Gosling with 34pts.

east devon short mat bowls

COLYTON'S second win in two weeks, this time 6-2, has almost certainly earned them the Evening Champions title - an unlikely points margin of 116 at Sidbury would be required to dislodge them.

Uptontery won 5-3 away in a close match where the shots ended 53-52.

In the second division West Hill have already secured the top place; behind them Sidford, with a 6-2 win, have moved to second spot. Sidbury B won 5-3 but stay in fourth place.

The two remaining matches to decide second place will see Awliscombe A playing at Awliscombe, while Sidford face West Hill.

In the afternoon league Awliscombe won 5-3 to secure the Champions title and Uptontery's 6-2 win sees them finish runner-up.

Evening 1	Pld	Diff	Pts
Colyton	10	122	14

Musbury	9	7	12
Beer	9	115	10
Uptontery	9	17	9
Sidbury	7	-5	7
Seaton Cliff	10	-256	2

Evening 2	Pld	Diff	Pts
West Hill	9	177	16
Sidford	9	-5	11
Awliscombe A	9	52	9
Sidbury B	9	65	8
Membury	8	-120	6
Awliscombe B	8	-169	2

Afternoon 1	Pld	Diff	Pts
Awliscombe	10	68	12
Uptontery	10	-18	11
Beer	10	122	9
St Teresa's	9	-33	8
Colyton	8	-42	8
Musbury	9	-97	8

Afternoon 2	Pld	Diff	Pts
Seaton Cliff A	9	121	13
Seaton Cliff B	10	38	13
Sidford	9	5	8
Lyme Regis	8	-41	7
Hemyock	8	-36	6
Seaton Cliff D	8	-87	5

Afternoon 3	Pld	Diff	Pts
Chard B	10	349	16
Sidbury	9	39	11
Chard A	9	4	7
Hemyock B	8	-77	7
Seaton Cliff C	9	-104	7
Colyton B	9	-211	6

YOUTH FOOTBALL

Seaton U13 6 Feniton 2

In a very one-sided affair Seaton ran out easier winners than the scoreline suggests.

A 2-1 half-time lead did not reflect the quality of the passing and control of the

game.

The goals were scored by Cody Bowditch (2), Ollie Caute (2), Will House, and Ollie Browne. MOM was Jack Harwood.

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scrum down rugby round-up

Honiton win in dramatic final minutes: Redcliffians rollover Sidmouth

WITH WILL MOWBRAY

Old Redcliffians 69 Sidmouth 3

INJURY-HIT Chiefs were unfortunate to meet the Old Redcliffians on top form. An extensive injury list and work commitments forced ten changes from the side which beat Thornbury the previous week. Despite the disruption, a full strength team would have been hard-pressed against the ruthlessly efficient league leaders.

Few of the 11 tries were conceded easily as the Sidmouth players covered and tackled with great determination. They simply ran out of defenders under relentless pressure. The home side's close support play, ability to offload in the tackle and quick recycling at the breakdown was outstanding. And on the occasions the Chiefs produced good moves of their own, they met a defence determined to give nothing away.

Playing down the slope, the Chiefs started brightly enough, pushing Old Reds back into their own half and forcing a couple of mistakes. But, when the outside centre made a clean break from halfway to create the opening try for the left winger, the potential danger was clear. The full-back kicked the first of seven conversions from the touchline.

The scrum-half scored the second try a few minutes later after a period of intense pressure inside the Sidmouth 22. Then the Chiefs showed their attacking poten-

tial when Zac Bess made a fine break before linking with Ben Dobson to take play deep into the Old Reds 22, but a penalty ended the move.

In the middle of the half Old Reds added two tries from accurate handling and quick recycling and then a fifth from a pushover of a five metre scrum. The Chiefs then had their best period of the half, keeping pressure in the opposing 22. The forwards, with James Perry to the fore, drove strongly before Jason Luff came close to scoring from a quick tap penalty. They were eventually rewarded with a Dan Retter penalty.

Old Reds finished the half strongly and the left winger went over for his second try in injury time to make the half-time score 3-38.

Old Reds took their score over the 50 mark with two tries in quick succession after the break, before Alva Senderayi broke out of his own 22 with a powerful run to put his side on the offensive for a brief spell.

With the slope in their favour, Old Reds were soon back on the attack and added three more tries. Despite the score-line, the Chiefs heads never dropped and they finished the game strongly. Half-time replacement Jonny Hamill was influential at scrum-half, with some probing runs and quick service to his backs. An excellent handling move sent Zac Bess sprinting for the corner but he was brought down a metre short of a deserved consolation try.

Exmouth 3rds 15 Honiton 2nds 0

ON SATURDAY, Honiton seconds travelled down to Exmouth for a game against their thirds, losing out 15-0.

On arrival, they were greeted by a rather heavy downfall, and this added to an already boggy pitch, so playing conditions were going to be tough.

In the first-half, Honiton were under immense pressure but defended well and some last ditch tackles kept the deadlock. Honiton really didn't see much ball but when they did have ball the conditions played a big part in reducing the threat of the Lacemen's pacy backline.

Pleased with their first-half performance, the Lacemen knew that with a continued solid defence and a bit more ball, they could potentially sneak a victory, and with 20 minutes left this was very much a possibility.

However, Honiton were still struggling to get ball and when Exmouth brought on star-man Paul Morgan, who was returning from injury after four months out, scored a quick try and made another to give Exmouth a 12-0 lead.

With only a few minutes left, Exmouth slotted over a penalty to leave the score at 15-0.

A strange game all round, possession wise Exmouth were in control all game, but the Lacemen's defence was as impressive as it ever has been which lead to a close

game. Credit must go to Exmouth who continue to field the same boys year in year out when other clubs would often field some 'ringers' when their firsts or second team don't have a game.

Next week Honiton entertain Crediton twos at Allhallows.

RESULTS

Saturday, March 9th

Tribute South West 1 West

Old Redcliffians 69-3 Sidmouth

Tribute Western Counties West

Honiton 20-19 Torquay

Devon Senior Merit Table Division 1

Sidmouth Seconds p-p Barnstable Seconds

Devon Senior Merit Table Division 2

Honiton Seconds 52-0 Withycombe

FIXTURES

Saturday, March 16th

Tribute South West 1 West

Sidmouth-Chiefs v Barnstable

Tribute Western Counties West

Honiton Cup Final TBC

Devon Senior Merit Table Division 1

Sidmouth-Seconds v Topsham

Devon Senior Merit Table Division 2

Exmouth Thirds v Honiton Seconds



■ THROUGH THE AGES: Honiton Rugby Football club hosted a reunion evening which welcomed all of the past and present players. The evening took place after Honitons victory against Torquay Althletic last weekend.

cribbage round-up

HONITON LEAGUE

CONGRATULATIONS to League Champions Thirsty Farmer and Captains Cup Champion Lionel Hawkins.

Results: Blacksmith Arms 4 Feniton Soc A 4, Feniton Soc B 4 Thirsty Farmer 4, Honiton Inn B 5 Honiton Inn A 3, Kings Arms 3 Workingmens A 5, Vine Inn A 5 New Fountain 3, Winslade Club 4 Vine Inn B 4.

Captains league: Audrey Hawkins 1 Lionel Hawkins 0, Dave Field 0 Lorraine White 1, Maureen Pendrick 0 Brenda Flood 1, Rita Freemantle 0 Mike Dent, Steve Pettitt 0 Amelia Bath 1, Teresa Baldwin 1 Hedley Hawkins 0.

	Pld	Pts
Thirsty Farmer	24	117
Blacksmith Arms	24	106
Vine Inn A	24	103
Workingmens B	24	103
Winslade Club	24	102
New Fountain	24	100
Feniton Soc B	24	99
Feniton Soc A	24	96
Workingmens A	24	95
Kings Arms	23	86
Vine Inn B	24	85
Honiton Inn B	24	76
Honiton Inn A	24	72

LYME REGIS LEAGUE

RESULTS: Monday,

March 4th: Beer Club 4 Nags Head LR 1, Ship Inn LR 2 New Inn Kilm A 3, Axminster Con Club 2 Lamb Swans 3, Royal Oak v Gerrard Arms - postponed.

Table - Week 21	Pld	Pts
Ship Inn LR	18	58
Beer Club	17	49
Nags Head LR	17	46
Royal Oak	16	42
Axminster Con Club	15	42
Gerrard Arms	15	42
Lamb Swans	17	39
New Inn Kilm B	17	39
Stepps	16	32
New Inn Kilm A	16	26

netball honiton league
High quality Hi Q!

RESULTS: (Division One): Met Office Weather Girls 33 Tip Top Trees 28.

Just the one game in division one involving the two teams at the bottom of the table who have already been relegated for next season.

The game between the already relegated pair of Weather Girls and Tip Top Trees was a close one but a 33-28 defeat left 3Ts still looking for their elusive first win.

Div One	Pld	GD	Pts
Flamingos	13	306	39
OPG	14	298	36
Updownman	13	78	24
Signs West	13	-46	19*
Met Office WG	13	-167	11*
Tip Top Trees	14	-472	2

Division Two: Sidmouth Toucans 35 JD Tyres 28, Hi Q 43 Pixies 7, Howden Hawks 22 Water Babies 11.

THERE were three games in division one with some issues still to be decided.

Hi Q needed just a point from their game to be sure of promotion – whilst wins for Sidmouth Toucans, Pixies and JD Tyres would keep them all in the hunt for promotion to the top flight.

Sidmouth Toucans, with Kirsty Platt in good form, got off to a good start against JD leading 7-4 at the end of the first period.

Captains cup	Pld	Pts
Lionel Hawkins	24	16
Amelia Bath	24	14
Hedley Hawkins	24	14
Lorraine White	24	14
Teresa Baldwin	24	13
Audrey Hawkins	23	12
Dave Field	23	12
Julia Davies	24	12
Rita Freemantle	24	12
Brenda Flood	24	11
Maureen Pendrick	24	10
Steve Pettitt	24	8
Mike Dent	24	7

Fixtures (March 14th)
Knock Out Cup Preliminary Round

Winslade Club v Honiton Inn A, Feniton Soc B v Kings Arms, Workingmens B v Vine Inn A, New Fountain v Blacksmiths Arms, Vine Inn B v Workingmens A, (Farmer, Honiton Inn B and Feniton Soc A all byes).

Fixtures, March 21st: Second games teams swap venue.

Postponed League fixture – March 28th: Kings Arms v Vine Inn A. The Vine team are playing for second spot in the League, Blacksmiths will want them to lose by 6-2 to secure their hold on second place.

Postponed Captains Cup Fixture (March 28th): Dave Field v Audrey Hawkins.

poned.

BEER LEAGUE: Beer Club 1 Nags Head LR 2, Ship Inn LR 1 New Inn Kilm A 2, Axminster Con Club 2 Lamb Swans 1, Royal Oak v Gerrard Arms - postponed.

Beer League	Pld	Pts
Ship Inn LR	18	29
Beer Club	17	28
Lamb Swans	17	26
New Inn Kilmington B	17	26
Nags Head LR	17	26
Royal Oak	16	23
Axminster Con Club	17	23
New Inn Kilmington A	16	22
Gerrard Arms	15	22
Stepps	16	22

Despite good work from Tanya Broom for JD, Toucans ran out 35-28 winners.

Pixies needed a good result against Hi Q to maintain their promotion push, but this was not to be despite a fine effort from Emma Griffin.

Hi Q, with Kerri Callon playing well dominated from the start before ending the evening with a convincing 43-7 win, their 100 percent record intact and the title secured.

Meanwhile, Howden Hawks maintained their recent run of form with a 22-11 win over Water Babies.

The first quarter was close with Hawks shading it 5-3. With Zoe Dunn playing well for Hawks they then gained the upper hand to lead 17-7 going into the final session.

Once again Sam Clarke put in a fine show for the Water Babies but it was just not enough as Hawks swooped to a 22-11 victory.

Division 2	Pld	GD	Pts
Hi Q	15	444	45
Sidmouth Toucans	15	157	35
Pixies	16	26	33
JD Tyres	16	108	29*
Howden Hawks	14	-181	17
Otter Valley Dairy	15	-204	10
Water Babies	15	-350	4

(* points deducted)

gymnastics honiton

Gold for Honiton's Matt and Andy

NEWLY-FORMED acrobatic partnership Matthew Beviss (10) and Jamie Jeffery (16) maintained Honiton Gymnastic Club's recent record for excellent men's pair partnerships by taking the Grade 3 South West title at last weekend's regional preliminaries in Taunton.

The pair will now go on to represent the south-west region at the national finals in Stoke-on-Trent in May.

Matt, a pupil at Honiton Primary School, and Jamie, a pupil at The Woodroffe School in Lyme Regis, were competing in their first serious competition together after Jamie joined the club just over six months ago.

The duo performed two routines – one 'balance' routine, where Jamie holds Matt above his head in static positions and one 'dynamic' routine, where Jamie throws Matt in the air before Matt completes forward and backward somersaults.

"Matt and Jamie have come a long way in a very short space of time," said James Reddy, high performance coach at Honiton Gym Club. "Jamie's a natural talent, who seems to improve hugely every session he's in the gym. Matt only learnt to somersault two months ago and he now has four in one routine – forwards and back-

wards! They'll now be working hard to perfect their moves and learn a new routine so that they can make the most of their opportunity at the national finals in May."



♦ Matt Beviss and Jamie Jeffery

In addition to Matt and Jamie's gold, gymnasts from Honiton also produced some other excellent results at the

competition, particularly in the Grade 2 Girls' Trio event, where – apart from the gold – gymnasts from the club took the majority of the top spots.

Emma Saunders, Charlotte Drawer and Megan Quick put in a fine performance to take the silver, and Ellie England, Sharma Curley and Emily Lee took bronze.

They were closely followed by Jasmine Waterfield, Francesca Cade and Keira Bonetta in fifth (just one tenth of a mark away from the medals); George Greenyer, Somer Horsfield and Phoebe Simeons in ninth; and Saffron Herbert, Emily Bristol and Faith Symonds in 10th.

Another very competitive category was the Grade 2 Girls' Pairs event, with 22 entrants.

Honiton's Lauren Davey and Lois Norman took fifth with a score of 25.35 (a score that would have won gold in many of the day's other disciplines), closely followed by Megan Quick and Isla Cloke in sixth who scored 25.20. In the Grade 2 Out of Age Girls Pair event, Kaci Brooks and Becky Fullard finished in fifth position.

For more information about Honiton Gymnastics Club, visit www.honitongymclub.org or contact hnayler@hotmail.com

darts round-up

Flag day for leaders

WHIMPLE LEAGUE

	P	W	L	Pts
Lamb & Flag 'A'	17	14	3	128
Volunteer Pirates	18	13	5	123
Talaton Tally Ho's	16	11	5	106
Kings Aces	17	10	7	106
New Fountain Fly	17	6	11	77
Kings Young Guns	16	4	12	58
V'teer Volunteers	17	1	16	51

RESULTS: Volunteer Volunteers 4 Kings Young Guns 5, Talaton Tally Ho's 1 Lamb & Flag A 8, Volunteer Volunteers 3 Kings Aces 6, Kings Young Guns 1 Volunteer Pirates 8.

COLYTON LEAGUE

by Gerard Wood

Results (March 7th): C Wilcox (1001/Pairs first): Golden Hind 3(4) White Hart 2(2); Vault 1(5) Kingfisher 4(1).

180s: Kyle Driver (Kingfisher).

1001/Pairs	P	W	L	Pts
Seaton Fc	14	13	1	59
Dolphin A	12	8	4	37
Vault	12	8	4	37
Dolphin B	11	8	3	31
Kingfisher	11	5	6	27
Golden Hind	14	5	9	27
Beer Club A	13	5	8	23
Beer Club B	12	2	10	21
White Hart	13	2	11	18

Singles	P	W	L	Pts
Seaton Fc	14	14	0	69
Vault	12	7	2	45
Dolphin A	12	8	4	43
Kingfisher	11	4	4	34
Beer Club A	13	3	5	34
Dolphin B	11	4	5	32
Golden Hind	14	1	7	32
Beer Club B	12	3	6	28
White Hart	13	0	11	19

Remaining fixtures:

Vault v Dolphin B (4 Apr); Dolphin A v White Hart, Kingfisher v Vault, Beer Club B v Kingfisher; White Hart v Vault, Kingfisher v Dolphin B.

skittles results and tables from around the leagues

AXMINSTER

Mens League

Ellis Shield
Red Devils 316 (B Huntley 62) v Old Hawk IV 265 (J Bearpark 52) B&Gs 272 (P Garner 57) v Lamb Spartans 256 (S Flint 57).

Division 1 Old Kilm A 324 (M Collier 61) v Ax Inn Jokers 349 (D Churchill 64) Lamb A 299 (D Jones 56) v Red Devils 333 (B Huntley 61) Colcombe A 386 (F Batten 76) v Thorncombe B 375 (A Farley 66) Thorn Drifters 378 (L Read 81) v Underlays 378 (D Boniface 79) Gerrard A 314 (D Tucker 59) v Lamb Spartans 310 (C Miller 55) Kings Stk 338 (J Rich 63) v Harbour Feds 320 (L Toozee 62) Ax Con Rebels 294 (M Smith 54) v B&Gs 280 (M Enticott 51).

Division 2: Axe Vale Stars 306 (J Crabbe 58) v New Kilm C 333 (R Webb 64) WHW A 341 (D Olive 68) v Lamb C 359 (R Taylor 65) Ax Inn A 325 (B Margetts 59) v Tuckers C 310 (S Hembrow 58) Thorncombe A 357 (M Stead 69) v Gerrard D 362 (J Vorsey 72) Red Lion D 398 (T Herbert 91) v Old Kilm B 384 (J Smart 68) Carpetbaggers 336 (J Lack 64) v Ax Con A 303 (A Thomas 60).

Division 3: Ship Spreaders 361 (D Strawbridge 65) v Kings Arms Seatonbridge 61 (D Johnson 70) Lamb D 326 (P Pearson 58) v Tuckers B 300 (F Fulman 60).
Division 4 Gerrard C 294 (B Knight 54) v Harbour Rotary 295 (C Painton, P Baulch 53) Seaton BC 269 (G Mabon 55) v New Inn Hawks 282 (I Hampson 52) Kingfisher Nomads 332 (S Cross 70) v Ax Inn B 343 (J Chapman 67) New Kilm A 368 (A Rees 70) v Red Lion B 341 (R Bebb 68).

Division One	Pld	Pts
Red Lion RD	22	32
Lamb Spartans	22	32
Ax Con Club Rebels	22	30
B&Gs	21	26
Lamb A	22	26
Old Inn Kilm A	22	22
Gerrard A	22	20
Axe Inn Jokers	22	19
Colcombe A	22	18
Kings Arms Stock A	21	18
Thorncombe Drift	22	17
Underlays	22	17
Harbour Feds	22	16
Thorncombe B	22	12

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Carpetbaggers GA	20	26
Red Lion D	20	26
White Hart Wilm A	21	25
Gerrard D	20	24
Axevale Stars	21	24

Tuckers C	20	22
Axminster Inn A	20	20
Thorncombe A	19	18
Old Inn Kilm B	20	18
Lamb C	21	18
Axe Con Club A	19	15
New Inn Kilm C	21	14
Red Lion C	20	12

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Hawk Halfcuts	19	26
New Inn B	20	25
Kings Arms Seaton A	20	24
Colcombe B	19	22
Lamb D	20	22
Old Inn Hawk B	20	22
Tuckers Maggots	19	21
Old Inn Hawk A	19	21
New Inn Z	19	16
George C Stock	18	14
Gerrard Guzzlers	17	14
Lambettes	17	14
Axe Carpets B	17	13
Gerrard B	16	10
Seaton Town FC	18	10

Division Four	Pld	Pts
New Inn Kilm A	18	30
Red Lion B	18	27
Axminster Inn B	19	26
New Inn Kilm Hawks	19	21
Kingfisher Nomads	17	20
Old Inn Hawk IV	17	18
Tuckers A	18	18
Harbour Rotary	18	17
PJs Social Club	18	14
Gerrard C	19	12
Kingfisher A	18	9
Seaton BC A	19	6

LADIES

Division: B&Js 268 (J White 48) v Harbour A 256 (S Williamson 49) Red Lion Rabble 338 (L Warren 63) v Red Lion A 387 (M Miller 75) Seaton BC 320 (C McDonald 61) v Lamb A 307 (L Kielen 58) Ax Inn A 325 (S Gage 59) v George Chdstk 311 (W Kye 62).

Division 2: Lambettes 310 (C Herbert 58) v Gerrard Guzzlers 333 (R Hallworth 65) PJs Social 352 (L Tedbury 72) v New Inn B 334 (P Clark 66) Kings Army Seaton 273 (R Hole 52) v Thorncombe Newtops 271 (W Burls 50) New Inn A 281 (H Hopewell 55) v Tuckers A 306 (J Sweetland, A Lockwood 53) Ax Carpets B 300 (K Rodgers 59) Perfect Pins 332 (K Boalch, E Westlake 60).

Division 3: Tuckers B 329 (S Langish 61) v Old Inn A 337 (L Beer 61) Seaton FC 344 (T Kenworthy 62) v Axmouth Angels 330 (B Bracey 65) Harbour Antics 321 (C Spicer 62) v Colcombe B 315 (F Mann 59) Gerrard A 242 (M Jenner 50) v Ax Inn Allsorts 234 (J Pring, L Pursey 44) Wilm Wanderers 341 (H Hible 64) v Seaton FC Madhatters 308 (L Long 55).

Division One	Pld	Pts
Axe Inn A	17	24

Seaton BC	17	24
Axe Carpets A	16	21
Harbour A	17	20
Red Lion A	17	18
B&Js Chardstock	17	18
George C Stock A	16	15
Colcombe A	17	14
Red Lion Rabble	17	14
Lamb A	17	10
Old Inn Mates	16	6

Division Two	Pld	Pts
PJs Social Club	17	24
New Inn B	18	23
New Inn A	17	22
Kings Army Seaton	17	22
Perfect Pins	17	18
Kings Arms Stock A	17	15
Tuckers Arms A	18	15
Gerrard Guzzlers	17	14
Lambettes	17	14
Axe Carpets B	17	13
Thorncombe Newtops	18	10

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Old Inn Kilmington	17	25
Colcombe B	17	22
Harbour Antics	17	22
Seaton FC	16	18
Gerrard A	16	18
Wilm Wanderers	17	16
Seaton FC Mad Hatt	15	15
Axmouth Angels	17	14
Axe Inn Allsorts	18	14
Tuckers Arms B	16	10
Thorncombe A	16	8

COLYTON

George Strawbridge singles trophy, Qualifying (top three to final).

PJs club group

Richard Tull, Seaton AFC A 73; Chris Hammett, Ship A 68; Dave Park, Seaton Town AFC B 60; P. Bowey, Kings Arms A 59; M Orsman, Gerrard B 57; R Gush, Harbour C 57; D Williams, Beer Albion 56; M Howe, Beer SC A 55; M Crooks, Kings Arms B 51; Barbara Thompson, Seaton Bowling Club 47;

New Inn group
Annie Riggs, Offwell B 68; Martin Pidgeon, Lamb B 66; Charlie Hutchings, Eagle Tavern 64; M Wakley, Honiton Con Club D 63; S Selway, Three Tuns B 61; T Moore, Lamb A 59; R Doble, Honiton Con BTP 59; P Garner, Axe Vale S.C. B 56; P Eveleigh, Vine A 55; R Burroughs, Tuckers Arms C 53; Joan Vincent, Honiton Con Club B 51; N Sleeman, Honiton Con Club A 50; Jenny Broom, Heathfield B 49; Deb Soan, Red Cow A 49;

Honiton Con club group
Pete Richards, Awliscombe Harts 67; Robert Clinton, Red Lion Sidbury 65; Dennis Pratt, Vine B 62; G Richards, Honiton WMC. B 62; S Lapping, Three Tuns A 61; J Woodfield, Sid-

bury S.C. Stones 59; M Clode, Rising Sun B 56; D Poll, Honiton WMC. A 54; N Broom, Volunteer B (volly army) 53; N Pepler, Volunteer A 48;



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Millwey look to go one better in county final

MAGNIFICENT Millwey Rise booked their place in a second successive Devon Intermediate cup final with a 4-3 win over Lamerton at Harry's Field on Saturday.

Sam Dibling (2), Ben Turner and Terry Emmett scored for the Rise who will now look to go one better than last season when they meet Bideford-based Northside Atlantic, from the North Devon League Intermediate division, in the final at Newton Abbot on Thursday, April 11th.

Kevin Turner's side turn their attention back to the Perry Street League Premier division at the weekend and the visit of fellow title-contenders Beaminster (2.30pm ko)

AXMINSTER TOWN return to league action on Saturday after a four-week break when they travel to South West Peninsular Division One (East) highriders Newton Spurs.

During their enforced break the Tigers beat Combe St Nicholias in

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the Axminster Hospital Cup 3-2 but their trip into mid-Devon will not be an easy won with Spurs lying in second place.

With all the other teams around them in the division having played fixtures, Axminster dropped a couple of places to eighth position in Division One.

But they have two homes games coming up against struggling Alphington and bottom placed Sidmouth Town which could see them return to the top six.

Back in the Devon & Exeter League, goals from Dan Norman (2) and Josh French saw Seaton Town put huge dent in Feniton's title ambitions with a 3-1 win at Colyford Road.

Fenny's mini-slump now amounts to one win in five while Seaton have

now won four on the spin.

Seaton travel to meet the Exeter University students on Saturday while Feniton entertain Thorverton.

Meanwhile, Beer Albion's first away clean sheet of the season secured a 2-0 win at Clyst Valley. The Fishermen head off to Mordard Bishop at the weekend.

Down in division one Sidbury United's huge promotion clash with Chard Town Reserves ended in a 2-1 defeat that leaves the Seagulls now five points adrift of their opponents at the top of the table.

Axminster Town Reserves ended a seven-game winless run in division four with a 5-2 victory over Exmouth Town Reserves.

The Tigers' second-string have no fixture at the weekend.

In the same division Axmouth Town scheduled visit by Heavitree SU was postponed. The two teams are due to meet in the reverse fixture on Saturday.

Advantage Beer!

BEER & District SAA fished their first boat competition of the year last weekend.

After leaving Beer beach at 8am in freezing conditions, the boats made their way to the marks to start fishing.

It turned out to be a good day's sport with most anglers managing to get 4-5 species including Pout, LSD, Ballen and Cuckoo Wrasse, Dab, Smoothound, Thornback Ray, Plaice, Herring and Mackerel.

The highlight of a good day's fishing was a massive shoal of Mackerel which kept one of the boats busy for 30 minutes in the snow!



■ **BEAUTY:** Carl Beckett with the Catch-of-the-Day - a 3lb 5oz Pout.



■ **STUART Leach** and his 14lb 5oz BullHuss

The best fish of the day went to Carl Beckett with a Pout of 3lb3.5oz(107%)

The top three were: 1st Joe Westlake with 585.21%(8 species), 2nd Chris Sweetland with 424.57% (six species), 3rd Matt Cornell with 399.96%

(six species).

It was also the first leg of the inter-club match against Honiton, which Beer managed to win with 1265% against Honiton's 1112% giving them a nice advantage to take in to the 2nd leg.

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